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BACHELOR, LONELY AND WITHOUT HOME, COMMITS SUICIDE

Chas. Andrews Shoots Himself in Head in Woods Near Markleton.

BODY IS COVERED WITH FROST

Death of Englishman as Sad as His Life; Incapacity for Work and Sorrow Because of Friendlessness, It is Believed, Led to Self-Destruction.

His shroud the rime, his mourners the soughing boughs, his death as lonely as his life, Charles Andrews, aged 63 years, was found with a bullet hole in his head, late yesterday afternoon, in a tract of timber one-half mile southwest of Markleton.

According to reports here today, it was believed Andrews had killed himself. A revolver was found beside him. The body was removed to Undertaker Shultz' morgue at Rockwood, and probably will be sent to a Philadelphia medical college.

Andrews was a mystery. The last two years he had been incapacitated for work. Previously, he had been a laborer for the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company. Andrews was not married and had no relatives, as far as is known, in this part of the country. He was an Englishman, and reticent. Andrews had no home.

His few acquaintances noticed that Andrews, the last few months, had been despondent. To those who knew him best, he indicated he was lonely. Despondency was given as the probable cause for what was termed a suicide.

U. S. THREATENS ACTION IF ROADS FAIL TO MOVE FREIGHT

Interstate Commerce Commission Urges Immediate Relief in Coal-Car Congestion.

Shortage of freight cars, the menace of a coal famine and industrial paralysis in some parts of the country, has become so serious that the Interstate Commerce Commission Saturday proposed to shippers and railroads drastic recommendations for relief, with thinly veiled intimation that should they fail to remedy the situation the Commission itself would find a way to do so.

"The condition is acute," declared Commissioner Franklin K. Lane, who for several weeks had conducted an inquiry. "Great institutions of the country are practically out of fuel and cannot get it because there are no cars for transportation. If an immediate remedy is not found, people in parts of this country will be freezing to death because of inability to get coal."

The car shortage is said to have been found to be due in part to delay in unloading, slow movement of freight cars and failure of railroads to return cars to lines owning them. In the last named case it is said railroads hold cars, paying a nominal charge for use. This the commission denounces as "nothing less than theft." The investigation of slow moving freights developed that a freight averaged about 29 miles a day and that while one was moving 13 were standing still.

The commission makes several suggestions for the improvement of the efficiency of freight equipment, and the relief of the car shortage:

"That a higher per diem rate shall be made to apply for the use of cars as between the carriers.

"That an inspection service be at once instituted which shall report to the Commission violations of the rules existing which are intended to insure the return of equipment to the home line.

"That operating officials be instructed to make fuller use of locomotives and cars by increasing the speed of freight trains. An average movement of less than 25 miles per car per day is not adequate to the need of times such as these. An increased speed of movement is tantamount to an increase in equipment."

The Commission's recommendations, sent broadcast as a circular to the railroads and shippers of the United States, points out that the commerce and industries of the United States would suffer great loss were a car shortage to continue. It points out that besides the suffering, which would follow a coal famine from lack of cars, industries throughout the country would be stopped by lack of raw materials and the people at large would suffer serious embarrassment.

$3,000 to Buy From Ligonier Road.

A settlement of $3,000 for a broken leg has been effected between George C. Frank, guardian of Raymond Winfield Ankney, of Ligonier township, and the Ligonier Valley Railroad Company. The boy suffered the fracture in the big wreck at Wilpen, July 5. Leave to execute a release to the railroad company was given in the Westmoreland county Orphans' Court at Greensburg, Saturday.

Hallowe'en Victims May Recover.

Ruth Levy and Emma Lou Stillwagon, who were burned Friday night, while participating in the Hallowe'en parade, are recovering. Miss Levy is resting easily at her home and, today at noon, it was said at the South Side Private hospital, that the condition of Miss Stillwagon was improved. The prospects for the recovery of both are bright.

PRIZES FOR BEST HALLOWE'EN MASQUERADE ARE AWARDED

School Boys, Military Band, Firemen, and Women Declared Winners.

Winners of prizes offered for the best mummers, organizations, and school turnouts in Connellsville's big Hallowe'en celebration, Friday night, were announced, this morning.

The $10 awards will go to the following: Best calithumpian band, boys from Second Ward School; best costumed band, Connellsville Military; best uniformed band, Tenth Regiment; best uniformed organization, West Side firemen.

The $5 prize for the best costumed pair was awarded Mrs. Ira Beal, of this city, Miss Maude Sturm, of Uniontown, who appeared as dominoes. The $5 for the most original makeup will go to two who paraded as a G. O. P. elephant. J. D. Lambert was picked as the best clown and given the $3 prize.

The best slogan banner prize of $5 will go to Grade No. 6 of the Fourth Ward school. The boys appeared with the banner "We Boost Connellsville." Miss Beulah Gillmore is teacher of the grade.

Grade No. 7, of the Third Ward school, Lyman K. Miller, was awarded the $3 prize for the best turnout of his class. The $5 prize for the best school turnout under Grade No. 7 was given to Grade No 4, of the Second Ward school, Miss Anna Laffey, teacher.

The negress with the long white plume will be given the $6 guitar for the best negro makeup. Both she and the G. O. P. elephant paraders will have to bring in their costumes, or the proof, to F. B. Graham, secretary of the Hallowe'en executive committee, to get the awards. Members of organizations awarded prizes are to designate persons for whom vouchers are to be made.

OFFICER RULLI KILLS MAD DOG AFTER HARD FIGHT IN ROADWAY

Patrolman Shoots Rabid Canine After Struggle in McCormick Yard.

LASSO AND MACE IN DEFENSE

Enraged Beast, Snapping and Attacking Pedestrians, Finally is Cornered and Then Beaten Down by Club; Brute's Life Ends With Bullet.

A mad-dog scared West Side citizens, yesterday afternoon. Patrolman Rulli shot to death a black mongrel on Second street, at 5.30 o'clock.

The dog was in the yard at the home of Mrs. J. McCormick, on First street, and jumped at passersby. Leaping against palings, snarling and snapping, the canine made efforts to reach several pedestrians, but was prevented by the fence. Several adults were badly scared, and a hurried warning was given children.

Patrolman Rulli then was called. Obtaining a rope and protecting himself with his mace, he succeeded in lassoing the dog. Several times, it made attacks upon him, but he escaped and beat down the animal.

Taking it into Second street, Patrolman Rulli ended the dog's life by firing a revolver bullet into its head.

FAYETTE REPUBLICANS LOYAL TO THE TICKET

Central Committeemen Report Normal Strength, and Bull Moose Weakness.

Republican Chairman Ash F. Williams and his secretaries, Attorney John Dugan, Jr., of Connellsville, and Earl Porter have kept in close touch with the Central Committeemen. They feel assured the normal republican vote will be cast in this county, tomorrow. It is freely predicted that Colonel T. S. Crago, Republican candidate for Congress, will have a large plurality.

Of the 206 Central Committeemen, only two have left the ranks of the old party. The remaining 204 are standing pat. This is considered remarkable in view of the fact that the Bull Moose party counted on getting most of its strength from the Republican party.

The last three days, all Central Committeemen have been in Uniontown, and have been given instructions as to the conduct of the election. They all give assurance the Republican districts will poll a large Republican vote.

Italian Stabs Slav in Coop.

Finding an Italian in his chicken-coop, John Cline, a Slav of Mitchell, was stabbed seriously in a fight, last night. He was taken to the Uniontown hospital. He has a knife wound in the abdomen.

Brown Acquitted of Kin's Death.

Harrison Brown was absolved of blame for the death of his brother-in-law, Elmer Mitchell, by a coroner's jury, Saturday afternoon. The jury reported Brown struck in self-defense.

Street Committee Fixes Flood Damage

The Street Committee of Council met today to determine damages to the West Side Hotel by the floods of this summer.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION BRIEFLY SUMMED UP.

The Republicans of the State and Nation are seriously divided. A portion of the party is in open rebellion against the organization. At this hour it is profitless to discuss at length the causes of this revolt, but a brief reference to indisputable facts will be pertinent to a final summing up of the situation.

It is a matter of history that Theodore Roosevelt retired at the end of his second term after having solemnly pledged himself against another term; that he dictated the nomination of William Howard Taft as his successor; that he was fulsome in his praise of President Taft until the latter grew restive under his dictation; that when Roosevelt found he could not run Taft he set out to ruin him; that he found difficulty in selecting a suitable opponent; that in the meantime he was solicited to become a candidate himself. Then Ambition joined with Revenge in urging acceptance. Ignoring his promise to the people to respect the unwritten law against a Third Term, he became a candidate, and in his strenuous solicitation of the laurel crown he has stooped to everything and stopped at nothing. A self-confessed framer of "pschycological" contests, he boldly challenged the title of a number of Taft delegates to their seats in the Republican National Convention. Both the National Committee and the Committee on Contested Seats appointed by the National Convention, after carefully hearing all the evidence, declared the Taft delegates were entitled to their seats. The convention was nearly equally divided. The supporters of Taft, earnestly seeking party harmony and party unity, proposed to unite with the Roosevelt delegates in the nomination of Governor Hadley of Missouri as a compromise candidate. Governor Hadley was a leading Progressive and Roosevelt's chief lieutenant at Chicago. When he carried this message of peace and to the Great Reformer, did the latter receive it with great joy and put aside his personal aspiration for the welfare of his party and his country? He did not. To the amazement of the sincere Progressive leaders, who subsequently refused to follow him out of the party, he thundered forth, "I will have you understand that no name shall be considered here but my own." THE BATTLE OF ARMAGEDDON WAS NOT TO BE FOR THE LORD GOD OF HOSTS, BUT FOR LORD THEODORE; NOT FOR LOFTY PUBLIC VIRTUE, BUT FOR LOW-BROWED LUST OF POWER.

However, there is in Pennsylvania absolutely no good reason why any good Republican should not vote the Republican ticket. The local candidates are not mixed up in the Chicago fight. The Republican candidates for Congress and the Legislature possess the Jeffersonian requisites of good public servants. They are honest, faithful and capable. They were nominated by an overwhelmingly large vote at an open primary. The Bull Moose shouters took part in that primary and acquiesced in the nomination of these candidates when they did not absolutely endorse them. There is no excuse for the Bull Moose nominations for Congress and the Legislature in this district and no warrant for supporting such candidates. The nominations are absurd and inconsistent. THEY VIOLATE EVERY LINE AND LETTER OF THE BULL MOOSE SLOGAN AT THE APRIL PRIMARIES AND SINCE, NAMELY, "SHALL THE PEOPLE RULE?"

The Bull Moose nomination for Congress was made over night by the Sculls of Somerset county, who succeeded to the local bosship after the final defeat of John A. Berkey. In Fayette county the Bull Moose legislative ticket was named by a junta of local politicians under the peculiar primary election laws which permit one or two men to preempt a party name and certify the nominees later. THE LEGISLATIVE TICKET IN THIS COUNTY WAS NOMINATED BY A POLITICAL TRUST AND IT CONSEQUENTLY HAS NO CLAIMS UPON THE PEOPLE.

The cry of Boss has been injected into this campaign. It is always difficult in politics to draw the line between the leader and the boss. The cry in the State against Senator Penrose may have some foundation, but it becomes utterly ridiculous in the light of the fact that his successor is Would-be Senator "Bill" Flinn whose bossism has been open and offensive in times past and in times recent. NO PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION WAS EVER SO BRUTALLY BOSSED AS THAT OF 1912 WITH FLINN ON THE DRIVER'S SEAT.

In Fayette county, the cry of Boss Crow is amusing coming as it does from the Bull Moose Political Trust, composed of a few ex-bosses plotting to get back, who as thrifty preemptors of the party appellation and consequently absolute proprietors of the Bull Moose party organization named the Progressive county ticket without even a pretense of consulting the members of the Progressive party. The Bull Moose bosses may believe in the Referendum, but they do not practise it. On the other hand, they do BELIEVE IN BOSSISM, WHEN THEY ARE THE BOSSES.

TO SUM UP, IT MAY BE SAID, BRIEFLY AND CONCLUSIVELY, THAT EVERY GOOD REPUBLICAN AND EVERY GOOD CITIZEN, WHO HAS THE WELFARE OF THE COUNTRY AND THE CONNELLSVILLE COKE REGION AT HEART SHOULD VOTE THE REPUBLICAN TICKET, TO THE END THAT PROSPERITY AND PLENTY SHALL CONTINUE THEREIN WITHOUT INTERRUPTION, AND THAT JUSTICE SHALL BE DONE TO REPUBLICAN POLITICAL LEADERS WHO HAVE KEPT THE FAITH AND BORNE THE HEAT AND BURDEN OF BATTLE THROUGH THE YEARS.

HUNTERS REPORT LITTLE GAME

Local Nimrods, However, Leave for Happy Hunting Grounds Today.

Local hunters, returning today, reported game scarce this year. J. E. Sims returned with four young pheasants and four squirrels. He was gone two days. Frank Bradford and Joseph Woods had five pheasants. Four were shot the first day and one the second. Thomas Miller brought home a large turkey. Benjamin Gullick had two pheasants and a rabbit.

Among the hunters who left this morning were S. T. Bonford and B. C. Fair. They went to Stoystown, where they will be met by Samuel Fair, and driven to Bedford county in an automobile. They will spend a week in hunting. E. M. Huffman, George A. Munson, James C. Munson and John McKelvey of Pittsburg, were among those who left on Baltimore & Ohio train No 48 this morning.

Roy Flist, F. K. Cochran and J. H. Woods, of Dawson, were here this morning on their return from a 2-day hunt at Fort Hill. They had 10 rabbits, 10 grey squirrels and three pheasants.

Assault Victim's Condition Better.

The condition of William Coprass, who was assaulted on West Main street, continues to improve slowly. Friends or relatives have not visited Coprass at the hospital.

Vandergrift Girl in Hospital.

Bessie Kropps, aged about 16 years, of Vandergrift, underwent an operation for throat trouble this morning at the South Side private hospital.

SELLERS MADE B. & O. AGENT.

Temporary Position Made Permanent by Douglass' Retirement.

Baltimore & Ohio Ticket Agent G. F. Sellers received notice today he will be located permanently in Connellsville. He has moved his family to Porter avenue. Mr. Sellers came to Connellsville six months ago to relieve Agent H. L. Douglass, who was given six months' leave of absence.

Douglass decided to make his future home in Washington State.

Richardson Quiz Perhaps Wednesday.

The body of Moses Richardson, negro who died Saturday at the Cottage State Hospital, from a stab wound said to have been inflicted by D. C. Anderson, colored, was interred yesterday in a Uniontown cemetery. The date of the inquest has not been set by Coroner H. J. Bell. He likely will appoint a jury, Wednesday.

THE WEATHER

Cloudy tonight and Tuesday was the noon weather forecast.

Temperature Record.

	1912	1911
Maximum	54	47
Minimum	31	41
Mean	42	

The Youghiogheny river registered 2 feet, last evening, and 1.90 this morning.

"The finest ever," was the prediction today, of the United States Weather Bureau for election day, tomorrow. Bright, clear skies and warm, practically throughout the nation, was the concession offered voters by the weather man. Except in the Far West, the weather will be ideal, was the final forecast.

ELECTION OFFICERS NAMED

Local Inspectors and Judges Appointed for Battle at Polls Tomorrow.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 4.—The following is the official list of election officers for Connellsville: First Ward, Urban Durst, majority inspector, R. E. Porter, minority inspector; Harry Hopkins, judge.

Second ward, H. C. Humbert, majority inspector, John H. Detemple, minority inspector, and W. E. Niland, judge.

Third ward, F. D. Munson, majority inspector, C. H. Bishop, minority inspector, and William McCormick, judge.

Fourth Ward, O. R. Blackburn, majority inspector, J. S. Bryner, minority inspector, and B. H. Christner, judge.

Fifth Ward, J. C. Whiteley, majority inspector, S. A. Coughenour, minority inspector, and G. D. Albrecht, judge.

Sixth Ward, Carl Snair, majority inspector, George Armstrong, minority and W. E. O'Donnel, judge.

Seventh Ward, Charles Rowe, majority inspector, Fred Rohrer, minority inspector and Dr. C. W. Utts, judge.

Burgess Fines Sunday "Drunks."

No police court was held this morning. Burgess J. L. Evans, however, had a busy Sunday morning. Fines of $3.50 or sentences of 48 hours in the lockup were placed upon James Jack, Rush Cover and Kenneth Miller, local characters, and Frank Irwin, Uniontown. The four were charged with drunkenness. Walter Townson, of Masontown, and Earl Thomas, of Youngstown, O., arrested as a suspicious character, were discharged.

THE WEST PENN REPORT SHOWS GRATIFYING GAINS

In Gross and Net Earnings; Wonderful Expansion; System Now Totals 270 Miles.

The report of the West Penn Traction & Water Power Company for the fiscal year ended September 30, has just been made public. It shows large gains in gross and net earnings, which will probably be further increased soon. Several acquisitions of new properties were made during the past year and these properties are being placed rapidly upon the same economical basis of operation as the West Penn system.

Since the first annual statement of the company in 1905 the earnings have shown a steady and substantial growth as indicated by the following comparisons, which with the exception of the last item, are for the years ended December 31:

Year.	Gross.	Net.
1905	$1,060,238.47	$480,480.32
1906	1,309,993.41	635,516.90
1907	1,393,109.16	761,333.41
1908	1,551,138.13	691,874.24
1909	1,767,915.51	786,574.98
1910	2,042,002.33	1,054,650.04
1911	2,260,280.95	1,118,095.72
1912	2,809,521.46	1,363,521.70

The figures for 1912 are the figures for the fiscal year, the other figures being for the calendar year. The fixed charges were for interest on bonded indebtedness $685,073, and for dividends on the preferred stock $235,000; total, $900,073; surplus, $463,451.

Conditions in the territory covered by the West Penn system are very favorable with an unprecedented demand for coke and coal. The company is rapidly extending its high tension transmission lines to serve new power customers, the system having been extended over 100 miles this year, and now totaling about 270 miles.

LAD KILLED BY HIS BROTHER, HUNTING AT MORGAN STATION

Walter Newcomer Victim of Rifle Bullet Aimed at a Bird.

BOY IS SHOT IN FOREHEAD

Slayer, Almost Prostrated by Grief, Rushes for Aid to Scottdale Physician in Automobile; Latter Works Fruitlessly Over Stricken Youngster.

Walking in front of a rifle aimed by his brother, Walter Newcomer, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Newcomer, near Morgan Station, was wounded fatally shortly after noon, Saturday. He was removed to the Cottage State hospital.

A 22-caliber bullet pierced the boy's forehead above the left eye. Jesse Newcomer, aged 14, who fired the shot, suffered a nervous collapse after the accident. He is in a serious condition, said the attending physician today.

Dr. James P. Strickler, of Scottdale, ready to leave Morgan Station for home, Saturday afternoon, was approached by a breathless, pale-faced boy who rushed to his automobile.

"Oh, are you a doctor?" the boy cried. "I've shot my brother." The physician hurried with the boy and found Walter Newcomer, blood oozing from a bullet wound in his forehead. After working over the lad, the doctor ordered him to the hospital.

According to the story told by Jesse Newcomer, he and Walter were within 100 yards of their home when the shooting occurred. Jesse had aimed at a bird. As he pulled the trigger, Walter stepped in line. Jesse was horrified to see his brother fall, wounded.

Coroner Harry J. Bell, of Dawson, was called, and set Thursday as the time for the inquest. The funeral services will be held at the boy's home, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be in the Scottdale cemetery. The Rev. T. M. Gladden of Dunbar, will officiate.

The rifle was owned by the boys' father. The mother had warned them against taking it from the house, but, unknown to her, they carried it out for a hunt. The shooting occurred behind a haystack. The parents are almost prostrated. Eleven boys and one girl are in the family. Walter's death was the first.

SLAYER AT VICTIM'S FUNERAL.

Dennis Mathews Attends Obsequies for Wyland Minerd at Percy.

The body of Wyland Minerd, the 18-year-old Percy boy who was fatally shot in a Hallowe'en parade at that place, was buried, yesterday afternoon. Dennis Matthews, who is said to have accidentally fired the bullet, and Ray Cole, arrested and held in jail awaiting the Coroner's inquest, were permitted to attend the funeral.

George Minerd, father of Wyland Minerd, expressed, on Saturday night, the wish that young Matthews and Cole might be permitted to go to the funeral. He did not know that District Attorney Ray Shelby had decided to send the boys to Percy for the services. After changing clothes at their homes, Matthews and Cole were taken to the Percy Methodist Episcopal church by Deputy Warden Harry McIntyre, who withdrew from the church after accompanying the boys to seats among Sunday School classmates.

MASONTOWN WIFE KILLS HUSBAND AND THEN SELF

Mrs. Elizabeth Sharpnack Shoots Spouse and Self While in Bed.

LATTER DIES WHILE ASLEEP

Double Tragedy, Which Orphans Two Children, Caused, It is Said, by Demented Condition of Woman, Which Was Superinduced by Melancholia.

After murdering her husband, John C. Sharpnack, as he lay in bed, Mrs. Elizabeth Mary Sharpnack, of Masontown, committed suicide at 4.30 o'clock Sunday morning. As a result of the tragedy Margaret Sharpnack, aged 17 years, and John Harold Sharpnack, 13 years old, agent for The Courier, are orphans.

That the crime was premeditated, was the belief today of neighbors of the Sharpnacks. Testimony before the Coroner's jury brought out the fact, however, that Mrs. Sharpnack had suffered melancholia for some time, and at times had threatened to kill her husband.

John Sharpnack was awakened by a revolver shot. Jumping from his bed, he discovered the dead bodies of his father and mother. From the position of the father, he saw he had been killed while asleep. The revolver evidently had been placed against the man's right temple. The bullet emerged above the left temple. Mrs. Sharpnack was found on the floor, her head at the foot of the bed below her husband's feet. She had shot herself through the left temple, and the bullet had emerged below the right ear. It had hit the wall, four feet away and dropped back onto the bed, where the undertakers found it.

"Father is dead; mother is, too. She shot father and then killed herself," cried little John, as he awakened Margaret in a downstairs room. Terrified, they fled from the home and called neighbors. Mrs. George Brown was the first to reach the house. Chief of Police Rufus Jackson was then called. The bodies were taken to Johnston's undertaking rooms.

At the inquest, the Coroner's jury returned a verdict that Sharpnack's death had been caused by a gunshot wound inflicted by his wife. Mrs. Sharpnack's death was declared a suicide.

Margaret Sharpnack said her parents had gone to bed in good spirits, Saturday night. She admitted, however, her mother had threatened to kill her father, but said she had always through the threats were jokes. Neighbors said Mrs. Sharpnack was worried by her husband's drinking, and that she was once forced to go to a neighbor's home at 2 o'clock in the morning. Chief of Police Jackson said Mrs. Sharpnack had asked his wife if the forehead was considered a good place in which to shoot a person, and that Mrs. Sharpnack had talked of killing her husband. A few hours before the crime, Mr. and Mrs. Sharpnack were playfully throwing apples and pears at each other, in their sitting room. They retired about midnight.

Sharpnack was from Greene county and had lived in Carmichaels until two years ago. He had conducted a livery stable in Masontown, two months. He had been a stable boss for the H. C. Frick Coke Company at Ronco mines. Mrs. Sharpnack was 47 years old. Her husband was older.

TURKS ASK POWERS' AID IN PEACE TREATY WITH BALKANS

Europe Excited Over Victory of Allies and Fears Serious Complications.

United Press Telegram.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Turkey, Nov. 4.—The Porte today formally asked the Powers to open negotiations with the Balkan allies for an armistice. The French Ambassador, as spokesman for the diplomatic corps, replied that this would be impossible; but said the Powers would communicate with the allies if the Porte would put its communication in the form of a definite peace proposal.

LONDON, Eng., Nov. 4.—With Turkey's admission of defeat by the Balkan allies, the danger of a general European clash over the near Eastern situation has become acute, it was stated here today by men in close touch with more than one great chancellery.

A special cabinet session was held at which the Porte's request for mediation by the Powers was the sole topic of discussion. No conclusion was reached. A message was read from Sir Gerard Lother, British Ambassador in Constantinople, saying the Turkish government begs the Powers to act with the greatest haste.

From Berlin comes the news that the German public is so much exercised by the extensive naval preparation England is making that the newspapers of the Fatherland have tentatively agreed to say as little as possible of the matter. It was also predicted that the German government would issue a quieting semi-official note tonight; but it was not thought likely that this would have much effect. The German cruiser Goeben sailed from Kiel today for Constantinople, and it was learned that the cruiser Breslau will follow.

The Italian Foreign Minister is in Berlin conferring today with the Teutonic foreign minister and will dine with the Kaiser tomorrow.

SOCIETY.

Wedding Invitations Issued.

Mr. and Mrs Henry Provance Snyder today issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Jean, to James Henry Smith of Dawson, to be solemnized Saturday evening, November 23, at 8 o'clock at the Trinity Lutheran church on East Fairview avenue. The Rev. J. E. Riley, rector of the Episcopal church of Oil City and an old friend of the family, will read the Episcopal church service, assisted by the Rev. E. H. Burgess, the Trinity Lutheran church pastor. Immediately after the ceremony a reception will be held at the Armory.

Miss Snyder has chosen as her attendants, Miss Alice Vandiver, of Atlanta, Ga., maid of honor, Mrs. Paul McKeel of Morgantown, a sister of the bridegroom elect, matron of honor, Miss Adelaide Wilson, New York City, Miss Gwendolin Barnes, Uniontown, Miss Agnes Wallace, and Miss Margaret McConahy, both of New Castle, bridesmaids. Paul McKeel of Morgantown, will serve as best man. The ushers are Edgar Semans, Calvin Core, Uniontown; Leigh Murray, Pittsburg; William Rathbun, Fairmont, and Kenmer Shelton, Huntington, W. Va. Miss Vandiver and Miss Wilson will arrive here the latter part of the week to remain until after the wedding.

Hallowe'en Party.

Miss Bertha Parker, Miss Mary Johnson, Miss Rose Keightley, Miss Josephine Hankins entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Buttermore in East Connellsville, an aunt of Miss Parker. Appointments suggestive of Hallowe'en were carried out and all kinds of Hallowe'en games were indulged in. The girls were masked. There was a mystic spring, an old cave, and a fortune teller who foretold the future of the guests. A Hallowe'en luncheon was served. The out of town guests were B. H. Boyd, and Dr. Markle of Scottdale; Ross Kimball, Dunbar. Louis Moreland and Mr. Crock, of Dunbar; Harry Seaton and Mr. Lewellyn, of Uniontown.

Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock Miss Parker was hostess at a daintily appointed dinner at the Buttermore home. A color scheme of yellow and white was carried out with a large bouquet of chrysanthemums as a centerpiece. Covers were laid for ten. Among the guests were Ross Kimball, Dunbar. Louis Moreland and Mr Crock, of Dunbar; Miss Sarah Seaton, Miss Sara Moreland and Howard Myers, of town.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. Samuel Gibson gave a birthday surprise party at her home in Elm Grove in honor of the 42nd birthday anniversary of her mother. A feature of the gathering was a well appointed dinner served at 1 o'clock. Music was the principal amusement and all present report a very enjoyable time. Piano solos were rendered by Miss Louise Baisley while vocal solos were given by Miss Livingston, Mrs. Sleighter and Mrs. Byrd and Mrs. Gibson. Mrs. Rafter received a number of pretty and useful presents. The guests were Mrs. William Debolt and two children, George and Thomas, Miss Minnie McDiffett, Mr and Mrs. H J. Debolt and son, MacDiffett, Mrs. H. J. Joslett and son, all of Connellsville Mrs B. W. Sleighter, Connellsville, Mrs. Lloyd Byrd, Fort Hill; Mrs. Hattie Vance and son, Wade, Connellsville; Russell Debolt, Connellsville; Miss Carrie Livingston, Miss Louise Baisley, of East Connellsville; Miss Stella Rafter, Harry Rafter and R. H. Rafter.

Supper and Bazaar.

Extensive arrangements are being made for the annual Thanksgiving supper and bazaar to be held Thanksgiving night, Thursday evening, November 28, under the auspices of the congregation of the Immaculate Conception Church. The bazaar will be held in the auditorium and the supper in the basement of the new parochial school.

Visit of Stork.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Gladden of Dunbar, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends over the arrival of a baby boy. The Rev. Mr Gladden is pastor of the Methodist Protestant church of Dunbar.

Mission Band Entertainment.

The Children's Mission Band of the Christian Church will give an entertainment in the church Friday evening. At the close of the program home-made candies and ice cream will be served.

Fancy Work Club Will Meet.

The G. L. A. Ladies' Fancy Work club will be entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Edward Judd at her home at Dickerson Run. The ladies will leave here on the Vandalia car at 1:50 P. M.

Missionary Society to Meet.

The monthly meeting of the Missionary Society of the Trinity Reformed church will be held Thursday evening, November 28, at the home of Mrs. B. F. Rudolph on Washington avenue.

Trustees to Meet.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees of the United Presbyterian church will be held Tuesday evening in J. A. Mason's office in the Second National Bank building.

Marriage Banns Published.

Banns were published yesterday morning in the Immaculate Conception Church for the marriage of Miss Ethel Ranker and William Carroll, both of town.

Mission Study Class to Meet.

The Mission Study Class of the First Presbyterian Church will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Manse on West Peach street.

Doctors to Meet.

The monthly meeting of the Yough Medico Social Club will be held Thursday evening at the home of Dr. Hugh Baker on South Pittsburg street.

Former Local Men at Heirs' Meet.

A fight to obtain possession of the Hannah Hillman estate in East St. Louis, Ill., said to be worth approximately $200,000,000, was outlined at meeting of the Hillman heirs at Pittsburg, Saturday. Thirty-five of the 70 known claimants to the estate attended the meeting, including B. F. Vandergrift and brother, formerly of Connellsville.

Have You Anything For Sale?

If so advertise it in our classified column. Cost—one cent a word.

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

MONDAY.—The Woman's Culture Club is meeting this afternoon at the home of Miss Florence Goldsmith on West Main street.—The monthly meeting of the consistory of the Trinity Reformed Church will be held.—The Pastor's Aides of the First Presbyterian Church are meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Bailey on Isabella Road.

TUESDAY.—The Daughters of Rebekah will meet in Odd Fellows hall. - Mrs. J. J. Robson entertains the Greenwood Ladies' Fancy Work Club at her home on Eighth street, Greenwood.—The Young Ladies' Mission Guild of the First Baptist Church will meet at the home of the Misses Hay on Johnston avenue.

WEDNESDAY.—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the D. R. C. will meet in Odd Fellows' hall.—Mrs. Charles Crowley will entertain the Lucky Thirteen Club at her home on South Pittsburg street. - A business meeting of the Senior Bible Class of the United Presbyterian Church will be held at the close of the regular prayer services.—The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 2.30 o'clock in the church chapel.

THURSDAY.—The Onward Class of the Methodist Protestant Sunday School will hold a turkey supper at the Y. M. C. A. The hours are from 5 until 8 o'clock.—The C. W. B. M. Auxiliary of the Christian Church will meet in the church.—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of R. T. will be held.—The session of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the manse on West Peach street at 7.45 o'clock.—The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. Dunn on South Prospect street.—The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United Brethren Church will be held in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alex Koover on the Normaville road. The members of the society will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Durnell on East Fairview avenue. In case the weather is disagreeable the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Thomas, on Crawford avenue.

FRIDAY.—The Friday Afternoon Bridge Whist Club will be entertained by Mrs. R. S. McKee at her home on Ninth street, Greenwood.—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church will be held at the home of Miss Eliza DuShane on Witter avenue.—The monthly meeting of the William P. Kurtz Post, No. 194, Grand Army of the Republic, will be held in the Post room at the City Hall.—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet at the home of Misses Anna and Jessie Brooks on Eighth street, Greenwood.—The Confirmation class of 1912 of the Trinity Lutheran Church will hold a meeting at the home of Miss Estelle Fleto on Race street.

FOR COLONIAL VAUDEVILLE

Arrangements Complete for Premier Number and Election Returns.

Arrangements were completed today by the management of The Colonial Theatre for the installation of a private Postal telegraph wire for the receipt and dissemination of election returns tomorrow night, from the stage, and for the opening of the season's high-class vaudeville.

Wires have been strung to the theater building and an instrument placed in the wings. As rapidly as the returns from all parts of the United States are received, they will be transcribed on paper and announced from the stage. In that manner, said Manager M. W. Nehf, today, the latest news of the battle of ballots can be learned without the inconvenience and annoyance of street crowds and with comfort, certainty and the amusement given by an excellent road show of premier vaudeville artists.

"The women of Connellsville and vicinity," said Mr. Nehf, "I know are as much interested in the election returns as the men. I have, therefore, arranged for good order at The Colonial tomorrow night."

GOOD ADVICE.

Timely Words From One of the Brightest Men in the World.

"My advice is put all your spare cash in the bank and let it remain there, paying your bills by check. The people who imagine the ginger jar, stocking, clock or trousers pocket are safer receptacles for money than a bank, are shining marks for minions, sharks, also for moth, rust, thieves and fire."—Elbert Hubbard.

The First National, the oldest, largest and strongest National Bank in Connellsville, invites both your Checking and Savings accounts, no matter how small. Four per cent. on savings. $1 starts you.—Adv.

Hurt in Elm Grove Fight.

Charged with aggravated assault, Paul Drobosky, of Elm Grove, was arrested, yesterday, by Constable William Roland, of Dunbar township. The information was by John Doucheck, also of Elm Grove, before Justice P. M. Buttermore of the West Side. Doucheck boarded with Drobosky. His alleged trouble occurred about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. It is said Drobosky struck Doucheck on the head with a whiskey bottle, inflicting a wound which required several stitches. Dr. C. W. Utts attended Doucheck. Drobosky was given a hearing this afternoon.

Druggist Graham Shows "Vinol."

Druggist F. R. Graham is exhibiting in his window on North Pittsburg street this week, a large display of Vinol. A similar display is being made in nearly 6,000 large retail drug stores all over the United States, indicating the fraternal conditions among retail druggists who are Vinol agents. They are organized into what is called a Vinol club, from coast to coast, and twice a year a simultaneous window display is made of Vinol.

Two Operate Mush Plant.

O. Hommel and Charles Brierly have in operation a complete mush plant in the Crescent building on South Pittsburg street. They turn out 600 pans daily.

PERSONAL.

Garbaldi Bufano of Morgantown, was in town over Sunday.

John E. Garrity of Pittsburg, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Smultz of the West Side, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Woodward and two children, Calvin and J. R., of Uniontown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Kincell of Greenwood, yesterday.

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Miss Kathryn Porter is shopping in Pittsburg today.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy of Greensburg, were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Harry, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clark of Leisenring No. 1, were the guests of relatives at Searight, yesterday.

Thomas Donovan of Searight, visited relatives at Leisenring No. 1, yesterday.

Mrs. William Cochran of Dawson, was shopping in town this morning.

Miss Anna Ferguson and Miss Katherine Tormay went to Marguerite this morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Deorley.

M. Michaison, practical furrier and designer, remodeling, dying, repairing and cleaning. All kinds of fur work. Room 201 Title & Trust Building, Connellsville, Pa.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Murphy of Pittsburg, were the guests of Connellsville relatives yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Bailey and Dr. T. H. White will attend a meeting of the Clinical Congress of Surgeons of North America, which convenes a week from today in New York City. Dr. White will leave Friday night and will visit his son, Robert, who is reading law in the University of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia.

Roscoe Wright is home from a visit in Buckhannon, W. Va.

A baby could tell you that if you want a reliable, perfect fitting suit or overcoat, you must order it from Dave Cohen, tailor.—Adv.

Miss Sarah Everett, stenographer to M. A. Coffey, superintendent of transportation of the West Penn Railways Company, has resumed her work after a two weeks' vacation spent in Washington, D. C., Wilmington, Del., and Philadelphia.

Try our classified advertisements.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alguire of Indian Creek, returned home this morning, after a visit with relatives here.

Miss Martha Eaton of Somerset, was in town this morning on her way to Pittsburg.

Election returns will be read from the stage of the Soisson Theatre tomorrow night. Four big special pictures.—Adv.

Miss Mary Mestrezat of Morgantown, returned home last evening, after a visit with Miss Camilla Munk.

Miss Margaret Sneddon arrived home this morning from an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Sneddon in New Mexico. She also visited her sister, Mrs. Basil White in Joliet, Ill.

George Harwin and Miss Anna Mae Harwin visited friends in Pittsburg yesterday.

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Ask your grocer for a pan of good home-made mush, or call 788 Tri-State and we will deliver it.—Adv.

Miss Ada Cook of Bellevernon, returned home Saturday, after a visit with Principal and Mrs. B. B. Smith. She was accompanied by Mrs. Smith and two children, Violette Jane and Joseph H., Jr.

Miss Mabel Riggs, of Uniontown, was the guest of Miss Elsie Humbert at "The Boulders," over Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Seanor and sister, Miss Brown, were visiting in Pittsburg, Saturday.

Edward Kintzer, formerly of town, was in town last evening on his return to his home in Clarksburg, W. Va., to cast his vote. Mr. Kintzer is one of the Socialist National committeemen and has been in Chicago for three months.

H. H. Blazer, of the Hope National Gas Company of Clarksburg, W. Va., was the guest of the Misses Laltaw of Cedar avenue, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Seller who have been residing in Los Angeles, Cal., have returned to Connellsville. They were accompanied by Mrs. Sellers' sister, Miss Ola Fries, who visited in Los Angeles.

Mrs. H. R. Wadsworth and daughter, Elinore, of Rockwood; Mrs. H. E. Shade and son, Joseph, Mrs. Rebecca Price and daughter, Sarah, and Miss Mary Everett of Dunbar, were guests at a Hallowe'en party, given at the home of Mrs. G. N. Durnell on Patterson avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. White will be guests of Judge and Mrs. R. E. Umbel of Uniontown this evening.

Patronize those who advertise.

Too Drunk to Give Names.

Ejected because of alleged disorderly conduct in a Main street restaurant, a negro was taken to the lockup this morning. Found drunk on West Fairview avenue, a white man also was taken to a cell.

AENEMIC GIRLS AND WEAK WOMEN

get new life and vigor by taking *Scott's Emulsion* after every meal.

It revitalizes the watery blood and furnishes Nature with new nourishment to make *red, active, healthy blood and feeds the nerve centers. Scott's Emulsion* strengthens the bones and clothes them with healthy flesh.

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DAVIS BAKING POWDER

is not a cheaply concocted bread preparation that simply raises the dough;—it is a scientifically compounded Baking Powder of *recognized food value* as well as the *greatest leavening quality.*

Sold by all good Grocers. Insist on having it.

MEYERSDALE PASTOR DEAD

Rev. Benjamin B. Collins, Father of Local Citizen, Answers Last Call.

The Rev. Benjamin B. Collins, aged 60 years, one of the oldest ministers in Somerset county, died Saturday, at his home at Meyersdale. During the early days of his ministry, with his young wife, he served as a missionary in Liberia, Africa. On the voyage home, to spend his furlough, his wife died and was buried at sea. He did not return to the mission field, but preached at several points in Western Pennsylvania. His last charge was Zion Lutheran Church at Meyersdale. He resigned several years ago on account of failing health.

Mr. Collins was a son of the late Mark Collins, of Berlin. The Rev. Mr. Collins remarried, and is survived by his widow and the following children: Herbert, Pittsburg; George B. Berlin; Luther B., Connellsville; Leigh B., Philson; Frederick and Ethel, of Meyersdale. He was a member of the Meyersdale lodge, No. 544, Free and Accepted Masons and Hebron Chapter, No. 273, Royal Arch Masons.

The funeral, which will be held tomorrow afternoon, will be conducted by the Rev. John A. Younkin, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church, and the Masonic fraternity. Interment will be in Union Cemetery, Meyersdale.

SYMPTOMS OF CONSUMPTION

Yield to Vinol.

The medical profession does not believe that constipation is inherited, but a person may inherit a weakness or tendency to that disease.

A prominent citizen of Evansville, Ind., writes: "I was ill for five months with a pulmonary trouble, and had the best of doctors; I had hemorrhages and was in a very bad way. Through the advice of a friend I tried Vinol, and I feel that it saved my life. It is all you recommend it to be. I believe it is the greatest medicine on earth. I have advised others to try Vinol, and they have had the same results." (Name furnished on request.)

Vinol soothes and heals the inflamed surfaces and allays the cough, Vinol creates an appetite, strengthens the digestive organs and gives the patient strength to throw off incipient pulmonary diseases.

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you.

Graham & Company, Druggists, Druggists, Connellsville. Vinol is sold in the West Side by Fred H. Harmening.

P. S. For any skin trouble try our Saxo Salve. We guarantee it.—Adv.

BUTCHER KILLED BY TRAIN.

Son of Local Family Dies of Hurts, in Hospital.

Elwood Dunham, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunham of East Main street, died this morning about 5.20 o'clock in a McKeesport hospital, from injuries suffered last week when he was struck by a Baltimore & Ohio train at West Newton.

He was 34 years old and a butcher at West Newton. The body will be brought to Connellsville, and removed by Funeral Director J. E. Sims to the home in East Main street.

Funeral for James Davis.

The Rev. R. E. Cairns, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, assisted by Rev. J. B. Kern, officiated at the funeral of James Davis, who died Friday morning of typhoid fever at his home on East Fairview avenue. The funeral took place from the residence at 1 o'clock and was followed by services at Mt. Olive Church. It was one of the largest funerals here for some time. Members of the B. of L. F. & E., of which Mr. Davis was a member, attended in a body, and conducted services at the grave. The music, beautiful and impressive, was led by A. L. Seaman, Miss Mary Parkhill, and Miss Blanche Goodwin, of the Methodist Protestant Church choir, assisted by the pastor. Floral tributes were numerous and handsome. Pallbearers were W. Sheering, C. W. McNeal, J. Ridgeway, C. Grimm, C. Ramage and T. Mayer, members of the order.

Thieves Rob Smithfield Home.

SMITHFIELD, Nov. 4.—While Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bosley, of Nicholson township, were attending the Hallowe'en festivities here, Thursday night, thieves entered their home and stole a pair of blankets valued at $6, another pair valued at $4, several quilts, a jar of lard and several pounds of butter. The Bosleys had left their son, Harry, to lock the door, which he did, but left the key in the lock. The thieves walked in and helped themselves.

Baseball Head Kills Highwayman.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Rutherford B. Cooke, assistant secretary of the Chicago National League Baseball Club, shot and killed one of two men in an automobile yesterday morning, who had ordered him to throw up his hands.

NEW LINES AND MATERIAL.

The more woolly the more fashionable seems to be the conclusion, after looking at the season's suits and coats.

This suit, although very heavy-looking, is really light in weight, the material being loosely woven. The color is a reddish brown, with piplings and buttons of black velvet.

The coat is slightly curved at the sides by darts, and has a vest front of mustard-colored cloth, closed with crystal buttons. A new effect is noticed in the skirt, the tunic swinging free all around, except at the back, where it disappears under the back panel.

FLAG TO DAWSON PUPILS.

Jr. O. U. A. M. Presents Banner to School Children.

A large and representative audience assembled at the opera house at Dawson, Saturday evening, to witness the presentation of a fine flag to the Dawson public schols, by the Junior Order United American Mechanics of Dawson. In an appropriate address, Dr. J. H. Bell presented the flag to the school. It was accepted by Principal James Grossman.

An entertaining program, including a flag drill, a motion song, a Mother Goose operetta and other exercises by the school children marked the occasion. Mrs. James S. Laughrey rendered, in a delightful manner, a vocal solo, "Mothers' Lullaby." She responded to an encore, rendering a beautiful selection, "The Perfect Day." A vocal solo by Miss Helen Bell Rush, and a violin solo by Marguerite Rush, also were well received. The program was interspersed with selections by the Rush orchestra.

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Now is the time to buy yours, before the extreme cold weather sets in.

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PITTSBURGH

MR. SPIDER'S PHONE

IN EARLY LIFE MISS BUGG HAD WED YOUNG SPIDER, AND IT MIGHT BE SAID THAT THEY WERE HAPPY AS COULD BE FOR THEY WERE MATED, DON'T YOU SEE.

YOUNG SPIDER WAS DETAINED ONE NIGHT ON BUSINESS—'TWAS AN AWFUL PLIGHT. HE'D LEFT HIS LITTLE WIFE ALONE, AND SO HE USED HIS TELEPHONE.

Why Have "Nerves?"

This is the reason why women have "nerves." When thoughts begin to grow cloudy and uncertain, impulses lag and the warnings of pain and distress are sent like flying messages throughout limbs and frame, straightway, nine times in ten, a woman will lay the cause of the trouble to some defect at the point where she first felt it. Is it a headache, a backache, a sensation of irritability or twitching and uncontrollable nervousness, something must be wrong with the head or back, a woman naturally says, but all the time the real trouble very often centers in the womanly organs. In nine cases out of ten the seat of the difficulty is here, and a woman should take rational treatment for its cure. The local disorder and inflammation of the delicate special organs of the sex should be treated steadily and systematically.

Dr. Pierce, during a long period of practice, found that a prescription made from medicinal extracts of native roots, without the use of alcohol, relieved over 90 per cent. of such cases. After using this remedy for many years in his private practice he put it up in form of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, that would make it easily procurable, and it can be had at any store where medicines are handled.

MRS. LILA B. HAWKINS, of Zens, Va., writes: "I had been failing in health for two years—most of the time was not able to attend to my household duties. Female weakness was my trouble and I was getting very bad but, thanks to Doctor Pierce's medicines, I am well and strong again. I took only three bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' and used the 'Lotion Tablets.' I have nothing but praise for Doctor Pierce's wonderful medicines."

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Fine Job Work of all kind at this office.

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Election Night, Tuesday, Nov. 5. 3½ Hours—210 Minutes—of the Best in High Class Attractions

California Four
Famous Stilson Sisters
Keith and Kernack
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Returns Received by Private Postal Telegraph Wire on the Colonial Stage from all Over the United States and Read Between Each Act.

Greater City Quartet
George Decker
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PRICES: 25, 35 and 50c.—Seats on Sale Today at Thomas & Brown's. 113 W. Main. Both Phones.

News From Nearby Towns.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Nov. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Hall and two children of Pittsburg, who have been visiting the former's father, Isaac Hall, for a week, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Weaver, who has been spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Marsh in Connellsville, returned home Saturday.

Miss Ada Ringer of Connellsville, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. William Grover.

Mrs. William Coughenour and daughter, Florence and, Miss Ella Woods were calling on friends in Connellsville one day last week.

Miss Alverda Burnworth of Johnson's Chapel, was in town shopping Saturday.

John Trudle was in Uniontown and Connellsville several days this week.

Mrs. Overbeck of Tarentum, visited Miss Ida Bird last week.

Mrs. A. B. Kurtz and two children, of Connellsville, are spending a few days with her father, A. G. Black.

William Frantz, of New Castle, is spending a few days with his father, Benton Frantz, and other friends in town.

Miss Ida P. Bird was in Connellsville Tuesday shopping and visiting Mrs. S. M. James and Mrs. Etta Kurtz.

O. F. McKee was in Connellsville on business yesterday.

Clarence Hyatt was the guest of friends in Connellsville Thursday and Friday.

Edward Clark and family have moved in the Reynolds property on the West Side, recently vacated by Mrs. Maggie Walton and family, who moved to Braddock last week.

A. L. Bird, the stock man, went to West Virginia Thursday to buy horses and cattle for his fine farm in Addison township.

George Butler and C. U. Flanegan, of Henry Clay township, were business callers in town Saturday.

Miss Ida Bird entertained her Sunday School class at her home in honor of Miss Geneva Garlettis, one of her scholars, who leaves for Morgantown, W. Va., this week. A very delightful evening was spent in various games. At 8:30 refreshments were served. The following guests were present: Misses Marie Hileman, June Fern Bird, May Lydig, Ora Greer, Sybel Reybeck, Leona Watson and Edyth Stark.

Mrs. A. A. Ritter of Horse Shoe, spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Reese of town.

William Clouse of McKeesport, spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Clouse.

J. H. Weaver was in Connellsville on business Saturday.

Miss Carrie Watson, who has been seriously ill at her home the past week, is reported to be no better.

Miss Edyth Augustine, of Addison, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Albert Black on the West Side.

Miss Effie Fox of Friendsville, Md., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Davis for a few days.

MASONTOWN.

MASONTOWN, Nov. 4.—Miss Ethel Johnson is visiting friends at Lock No. 4.

Miss Emma Knotts is suffering with tonsilitis.

Wayne Darral returned from Detroit, Mich., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Honsaker and daughter, Madora, of the County Home, Uniontown, are visiting friends at this place.

Mrs. John Workman of Mt. Sterling, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snell.

D. J. Honsaker and daughter, Martha, of Woodside, spent Thursday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sterling of Pittsburg, is visiting at the of the formers' parents.

Misses Emma Hamilton, Leola True, Kathryn Harbison and Mrs. Mabon Harbison attended the masquerade party at the Brotherhood hall, McClellandtown Thursday evening.

Mrs. S. N. Altman returned home yesterday.

John Simpson, James Bierer and Mr. Clifford, of Gray's Landing, were Masontown callers Thursday evening.

Jacob Snell of Detroit, Mich., is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Snell.

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, Nov. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Riffle were shoppers in Connellsville on Friday.

Miss Lena Gilley was a traveler to Pittsburg Saturday.

Rev. C. P. Salladay, now of Mt. Pleasant, arrived Thursday evening to spend a few days hunting with some of his sportsmen friends.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Nov. 4.—William Burton of Akron, O., spent a week here the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Pope, of Bryson Hill.

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Misses Nellie and Florence Brickles were shopping in Connellsville, Saturday.

Antonio Bufano, proprietor of the Dunbar House, was transacting business in Uniontown, Saturday.

Election returns will be read from the stage of the Soisson Theatre tomorrow night. Four big special pictures.—Adv.

Miss Mary Bell was shopping in Connellsville, Saturday.

The Hallowe'en masquerade party held last Friday evening at the home of Miss Anna Moyer of Bryson Hill, by the Algonquin Club, proved to be a great success. The leading feature of the evening was a song by R. H. Golden, entitled "Don't Make Me Laugh or I Will Bust." Everybody reports a good time. Out-of-town guests present were Misses Carrie Miller, Greensburg, Edith O'Neal, Zella Collins, Frank Robinson and A. T. Gauge, Uniontown.

Miss Martha Veith was shopping in Connellsville, Saturday.

Frank McFarland was a business caller in Connellsville, Saturday.

George Wishart returned home from Pittsburg, after spending a few days there transacting business.

Mrs. H. McGilvern spent Sunday in Connellsville the guest of friends.

Mrs. John Ford was shopping in Connellsville, Saturday.

Misses Mabel Swearingen and Elizabeth Warne were Connellsville shoppers, Saturday.

Frank Long was a business caller in Connellsville, Saturday.

VANDERBILT.

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Those who attended the Rist-Church wedding and reception from this place, were Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hazlett, Mrs. Elizabeth Hazlett, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Hall, Miss Stella Oglevee, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Shallenberger, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson, Mrs. A. C. Sherrard and daughter, Miss Mary.

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Mrs. H. D. Shallenberger entertained quite a large number of friends at a fancy work party at her home Wednesday afternoon. All enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon. A delightful luncheon was served.

DICKERSON RUN.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Eaton have returned to their home at Leisenring No. 3 after a very pleasant visit here with friends.

Mrs. Bert Ware and children of Scottdale, are spending a few days here the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas St. John.

Mrs. P. J. McAndrews was shopping and calling on Connellsville friends Thursday.

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Norman Lint was transacting business at Connellsville yesterday evening.

PENNSVILLE.

PENNSVILLE, Nov. 4.—Mrs. M. E. Miller, Mrs. Grant Miller, Mrs. H. E. Harris, Mrs. C. H. Stouffer and Miss Sue Means were in Connellsville Tuesday afternoon attending a birthday party in honor of Mrs. N. J. Chorpenning, of 212 East South street.

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Mrs. Elmer Murphy of Connellsville, visited her friend, Mrs. L. Eberhart from Wednesday until Thursday.

J. C. Myers of Morgan, is having some repairs made on his tenant's house.

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Types of Soldiers Who Fought Desperately Among Balkans

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, Nov. 4.—The report of the Star Junction schools shows the following: Room No. 1—Mary E. McKee, teacher, 67 pupils, 92½ per cent. attendance. Room No. 2—Catherine Dunn, teacher, 42 pupils, 90 per cent. attendance. Room No. 3—Mary E. Hess, teacher; 49 pupils, 88 per cent. attendance. Honor roll: John Rowley, Esther Birnworth, Sara Blair, Gertrude Jenkins. Room No. 4—Ruth Brown, teacher; 56 pupils, 89½ per cent. attendance. Honor roll: Ello Brown, Earl Hixenbaugh, John Clinghan, Margaret Williams. Room No. 5—Mary W. Carson, teacher; 11 pupils, 89 per cent. attendance. Honor roll: Dorothy Jenkins, Harry Lammie, Ralph Bittner, Martin Glodfelty. Room No. 6—E. M. Hess, teacher; 27 pupils, 91 per cent. attendance. Honor roll: Lena Hughes, Emma Dunham, Elizabeth Dougherty, Joseph Winterhalter. Room No. 7—Edith Bruller, teacher; 24 pupils, 93 per cent. attendance. Honor roll: Mary Gonda, .93; Albert Johnson, .92; Jeannette Pollock, .90. Room No. 8—Garnet Jones, teacher; 35 pupils, 87 per cent. attendance. Honor roll: Charles Butchko, .95; George Karooty, .93; Michael Fox, .93; Andrew Morgan, .91. Room No. 9—Olive Byers, teacher; 32 pupils, 95 per cent. attendance. Honor roll: James Knox, Minnie Flannigan, Alda Dunham, Tryllis Keffer. Room No. 10—E. J. Ramsler, teacher; 18 pupils, 93 per cent. attendance. Honor roll: Elizabeth Dunn, .96; Mabel Ervin, .96; Boyd Knox, .95; Claribel Esken, .94.

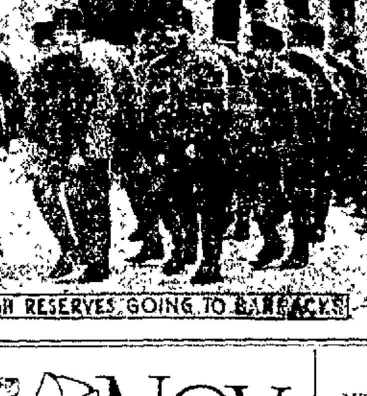
Have The Daily Courier delivered at your home or office every day.

West Penn Places "Safety" Posters.

Placards calling attention to safety rules were placed today by the West Penn Railways Company in all stations. The company is making extraordinary efforts to prevent accidents. On the posters are 18 "don'ts" to be observed by parents and taught children.

Arc Lights Reported Out.

Arc lights at Pittsburg and Peach, and Peach and Water streets were reported out, this morning.



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY.

Do not buy false jewels or expect great gains. A steady course is wisest. It will be greatly to your advantage to think carefully of your treatment of those who have power over you.

Those born today will be generous and well liked. They will have original ideas which they should be encouraged to carry out. Among them will be inventors, who should strive to deserve and gain an alliance with successful people of the better sort.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, Nov. 4.—Amos E. Finegan, who for the past two months had been confined in the Cottage State Hospital at Connellsville, suffering from the effects of a fractured limb, arrived here yesterday to spend a few days with friends prior to leaving for Akron, Ohio, where he will make his home with his three sons, who are employed there.

A child of Peter Fike, who lives near town, died yesterday of diphtheria, and it is said the father is also dangerously ill from the same disease.

DROPSY SO CALLED "INCURABLE CASES" OFTEN CURED. A great specialist will send a $3.75 Special Personal Treatment free as a trial. Four treatments in one. Hundreds cured of Swollen Ankles, Abdomen, Feet, Hands and Eyelids, Weak Heart, Smothering, Short Breath, at home after 5 to 20 doctors failed. 30 years experience. Immense practice, wonderful success. Send at once for $3.75 Free Dropsy Treatment, Book and Many Remarkable Cures in Your State. Describe symptoms. Relief first day. Address Dr. Franklin Miles, 577 to 587 Main St., Elkhart, Ind.

MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, Nov. 4.—The first snow fell here, Saturday evening, enough to make the streets white.

Vaudeville's Greatest Road Show, Colonial Theatre, Connellsville, Election Night, with returns, Nov. 5.—Adv.

Miss Sarah Hitchman returned home from Pittsburg, Saturday. On Thursday evening Mrs. E. J. Harrison of that place, gave a masquerade party in her honor.

Mrs. M. W. Horner entertained the ladies of the Saturday Afternoon Club at her Main street home, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. F. L. Marsh was leader. Mrs. J. R. Smith made a report from the meeting at Williamsport. On the program was the following papers: "A Description of Hong Kong," Miss Margaret Wiley; "A Day in China's Capital," Mrs. J. S. Mullin; "Unbinding the Women of China," Mrs. U. L. Gordy; "Current Events in China," Mrs. George M. Stoner. Following this was refreshments and the social hour very pleasantly spent.

John Maloney was a caller in Scottdale yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Westley Metz of Beaver Falls, spent Sunday with friends here.

Erma Walker and Flossie Zundell were callers in Scottdale, yesterday.

An anti-saloon league meeting was held in the different churches here, yesterday.

Lost. — Between Armory and Weimer's store, Friday evening, a chain and locket with initials M. C. B. Reward if returned to home of correspondent, Mrs. Kortright.—Adv.

F. W. Howarth of Brownsville, was a caller here, Saturday.

Mule Decreases Widow's Damages.

SOMERSET, Nov. 4.—A jury in the suit of Mrs. Evelyn Smith, a widow with four children, against the Stoner Coal Company for $10,000 damages, returned a verdict of $3,636. The evidence developed that Smith's death was partly the result of consideration for a mule he was riding in the mine at the front end of a car instead of the rear so that the mule could see by the light on the driver's cap.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, Nov. 4.—A very delightful Hallowe'en party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eney on Commercial street, Thursday evening. Quite a large crowd of friends were present and enjoyed a very pleasant evening. The rooms were decorated in Jack-o'-lanterns and other Hallowe'en decorations.

Election returns will be read from the stage of the Soisson Theatre tomorrow night. Four big special pictures.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gates returned to this place last evening after having spent a few days with Connellsville friends. They will remain here a few days and then depart for their home at Humbert.

John Harbaugh of Victoria, spent a few hours here Friday.

A Hallowe'en masquerade party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham Thursday evening. Quite a large crowd of the young folks of town were present and spent a very delightful evening.

Harry Marietta and sons, Monroe and Theodore, and Hamilton Crawford went to the woods Friday morning and came back with a well filled list for the first day of the hunting season, with 18 rabbits, 2 gray squirrels and two pheasants.

Mrs. Joseph Tissue and Miss Goldie Tissue of Whig Corner, spent Friday shopping and visiting with Ohiopyle friends.

George Morris of Bell Grove, spent Friday in town.

Lewis Morrison of Sugar Loaf, were transacting business matters in town yesterday.

Mrs. M. Smalley and daughter, of Bear Run, were Ohiopyle shoppers Friday.

James Hall of Sugar Loaf, were in town Friday on business.

Miss Laverty of Pittsburg, who has been a guest at the Ohiopyle House for the last month, left last evening on Train No. 14 for Somerset.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, Nov. 4.—Dr. Stayer returned home from Somerset, Saturday evening, where he closed a deal with Dr. Speicher of near Conemaugh, Cambria county, in which he sold his Main street property and medical practice, who will take charge within a short time. Dr. Stayer expects to take a post-graduate course this winter and will open up again in a larger town.

J. H. Farling of Jeannette, is visiting friends and relatives in Rockwood for a few days, and expects to move back to town within a very short time.

$28,000,000 FOR STEEL CARS

Builders Hard Put to Fill Orders, Greatest in Country's History.

The Pennsylvania Lines West have closed contracts for 3,200 freight cars for delivery early next spring, the orders going to building companies that were able to guarantee these deliveries in face of the congested conditions of most car builders' shops. This makes 8,200 cars ordered in a week by the company.

The orders placed, and upon which bids are being received, total 27,000 cars and will so fill up the car building shops of the country that it will be a serious question whether all the cars now, and shortly to be put on the order books, can be delivered the coming year. Between $27,000,000 and $28,000,000 is involved in the business which came out yesterday, making it one of the largest days for car builders during the year.

This enormous car business is drawing heavily upon the entire steel plate capacity of the country, and is responsible to a large extent for the extraordinary efforts on the part of all steel mills to bring their production up to the very top notch of capacity. October, according to estimates of excellent authority in the steel trade, will show a production in steel ingots of about 3,000,000 tons. This will surpass any record ever made in the country, and will exceed the theoretical capacity of the steel works of the United States.

WATERING-OUT DEVICE

Of Simple and Efficient Character for Beehive Ovens.

A simple and efficient watering device has been invented and put into successful use by D. B. Stauft, operating manager of the Taylor Coke Company's plant. The device is automatic requiring only to be inserted and removed from the oven when the watering-out process is complete. It has been in successful use on a royalty basis for several years. Its work is uniform and expeditious. One man can water ovens for one mechanical drawing outfit. It is a natural companion to these machines.

CONNELLSVILLE COKE RATE CASES TAKE WIDER SCOPE

Alleged Discrimination in Favor of Chicago District By-Product Plants Getting West Virginia Coal.

The railroad rate case of the Connellsville Coke Producers Association, which was to have been heard by the Interstate Commerce Commission, October 23, but which went over for one month, will be heard in conjunction with two others, because all involve the reasonableness and character of Producers' Association of the Connellsville regions to practically all points in the country. The cases are the Coke Producers' Association of the Connellsville regions against the Baltimore & Ohio; the Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company and others against the Pittsburg & Lake Erie and others; and the Wisconsin and Inland steel companies against the Pennsylvania and the Pittsburg & Lake Erie and all the railroads engaged in carrying coke to Chicago.

Although the records in these cases are bulky and look formidable, the cases themselves are not so. In fact, they appear extremely simple. The complaint of the Producers' association is that the rates both east and west are unjustly high and, therefore, unduly discriminatory against them and in favor of the coke from West Virginia. They further maintain that the rates are unduly discriminatory against the users of coke who do not have by-product ovens because these same railroads maintain rates on coal to Chicago at such a figure that the owners of by-product ovens are able to bring their raw product to Chicago, convert it into coke and retain a substantial advantage over those who depend upon coke from the ovens in the Connellsville region, even independent of what they realize from the sale of by-products.

The Youngstown complainants challenge the reasonableness of the rate of $1.35 to the Valley. There are 17 plants or furnaces involved in that complaint and they produce, it is claimed, 50 per cent of the tonnage, the other half being produced by the United States Steel Corporation plants.

PENNSYLVANIA COAL MEN

Coming Back to Their Own Since West Virginia Is Shut Out.

Pennsylvania coal operators, says the New York Coke Trade Journal, are feeling much easier this year than they have in years gone by on account of the fact that since the West Virginia locomotive fuel coals were shut out of their market by the action of the Interstate Commerce Commission, last spring, the competition has been decidedly restricted. The differential which the West Virginia producer enjoyed was 60 cents, but about six months ago the Interstate Commerce Commission decided against this advantage on the part of the southern market. Now, with the railroads really in the ranks of all other consumers, in that they are in need of supplies, the Pennsylvania operators feel that they are approaching the day when the emolument of their business will be sufficiently great to overcome the losses which they feel they have sustained in the past.

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Almost every one has had sore throat—will have it again. It is one of our most common ailments and, because it, in itself, is not fatal, is too often looked upon as a small matter, requiring little or no attention.

On the contrary it is a very serious affection because every person with Sore Throat is in danger of Tonsilitis, Quinsy, or Diphtheria and other serious maladies. In fact these diseases are almost invariably preceded by Sore Throat.

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MONDAY EVENING, NOV. 4, 1912.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

President.
WILLIAM H. TAFT, of Ohio.

Vice President.
JAMES S. SHERMAN, of New York.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.
ELECTORS AT LARGE
I. Layton Register,
W. A. Heizman,
John Dick
John P. Harris
Robert I. Altemus,
S. J. Wainright.

DISTRICT ELECTORS.
1. George J. Elliott,
2. J. R. K. Scott
3. W. J. McCloskey,
4. R. M. Griffith,
5. Frank Caven
6. F. W. Munn.
7. R. K. Cairns,
8. A. T. Eastwick,
9. H. L. Haldeman
10. L. M. Eine
11. H. W. Palmer,
12. Henry W. Brownmiller,
13. F. B. Gernard,
14. W. C. Secrist,
15. Malcolm McDougal,
16. W. H. Heim
17. John H. Deardorf,
18. James Lord
19. Joseph D. Hicks,
20. Calvin Gilbert,
21. David Howells,
22. Sylvester P. Bowser,
23. William D. Crow
24. Norman E. Clark,
25. Frederick F. Crutze
26. Herman Simon,
27. Robert Locke
28. William Schnent
29. George H. Douglas,
30. Howard B. Gorsler,
31. Elmer Brown,
32. Patrick H. Maguire,

STATE TREASURER.
Robert K. Young

AUDITOR GENERAL.
A. W. Powell.

CONGRESS.
COL. T. S. CRAGO of Greene County.

ASSEMBLY.
FIRST DISTRICT.
W. M. Thompson Menallen township.
SECOND DISTRICT.
John S. Carroll, Dunbar.
Henry A. Chalfant, Connellsville.
William S. Conwell, Brownsville.

POLITICAL CLAIMS.

Perhaps never before in the history of the nation, certainly not within the memory of the present day voters, has there been a Presidential election so uncertain and unsensed as that which will take place tomorrow.

The leaders of the three chief contending parties are confidently claiming victory, but not one of them are certain as to the outcome. While a divided Republican party ought to mean an easy victory for a united Democratic party, the trouble seems to be that there are no united political parties in this campaign. It is a free-for-all and very free. The Spirit of Unrest is galloping madly through the Field of Politics. The times are at high tide. The sun of prosperity is shining. The thoughtless and reckless refuse to believe that there is any danger of a political storm that may beach the pleasure boats.

The Courier has no prediction to offer. It is of the opinion that it is the part of wisdom to let well enough alone and not try any experiments with the situation. It has not tried to deceive its readers regarding the issues of the campaign, nor will it try to deceive them about the results of the election.

So far as political experts are able to view it, it is anybody's fight, and there is no reason for Republicans to despair even though Republican hopes do not grow on every bush.

Let every good citizen vote his convictions and hope that the country will not be sacrificed to political ambitions.

SINCLAIR'S SYMPATHY APPEAL.

One Sinclair is appealing for sympathy and incidentally for votes on the ground that his name does not appear on the official ballot of Fayette county as a Bull Moose candidate for the Legislature. Sympathy for Sinclair will be sympathy sadly misplaced.

In the first place Sinclair was not nominated by the people. Together with the other Bull Moose nominees he was appointed a candidate by the political syndicate known as the Washington Party Preemptors. His was a vest pocket nomination, not a nomination at the polls. He was chosen by the Bull Moose bosses, not by the people.

Finally, he is the victim of his own bosses' blunders. Some of their hand-picked candidates refused to stand and Sinclair was named at the eleventh hour to fill a vacancy. There was no political objection to putting his name on the ticket. One Bull Mooser more or less makes no difference. But the printing of the official ballot is a large undertaking considering the limited time left in which to print it and get it delivered to the polls in time for the election, and Daniel's name came to judgment so late that the County Commissioners found it was impossible to print it on the ballots.

The Bull Moose bosses had plenty of time to get their ticket fixed up. They carried it around in their pocket for a long time. If they carried it too long, they alone are responsible, and to them alone Would-be Candidate Sinclair should go for sympathy.

THE PEDDLER'S TARIFF.

The Socialist Burgess of South Connellsville has declared himself for Free Trade with a view to reducing the tariff on the High Cost of Living. It sounds like Democratic doctrine and is just about as sane and safe. The declaration was made in connection with the veto of a proposed ordinance imposing a tax on peddlers. It was pointed out that the South Connellsville merchants paid a State tax on their business as well as local taxes on occupation and realty, while the peddlers pay nothing. But the Burgess says this is the fault of the State, which ought to repeal the mercantile tax.

On the other hand, taxes should be uniform, and the propriety of the action of the Burgess in discriminating against home interests and in favor of peripatetic and predatory commercialism may well be doubted. It is a matter of record that simple people who patronize peddlers either pay more for their purchase than they would pay in their home stores, or buy inferior and unsatisfactory goods. The blandishments of the average peddler have caused countless heartaches in the family circle.

Free trade with the huckster wagon may be fair trade for all the South Connellsville people, but Reciprocity with the peddler demands a High Tariff because the Peddler's Tariff is always acutely altitudinous.

The West Penn Traction Company has developed itself as well as the Connellsville coke country during the seven years it has been with us, of us and for us. During that period its gross earnings have trebled and its net earnings have increased in like ratio, indicating that its numerous extensions been followed by proper expansion of business and corresponding increase in earning powers, all of which speaks well for the sagacity of the management. Incidentally, it indicates that the Connellsville coke region is still very much alive in spite of frequent and numerous solicitous efforts to bury it.

The Connellsville lad who sought his father in Fairmont, West Virginia, found his parent's grave but not his fortune.

Limestone hill is a bad place for an automobile collision, but the car coming down ought to be able to hold its own against one going up.

The position of the Republican legislative candidates in this campaign has been pretty thoroughly defined thanks to the catechism of the opposition, but if the Democratic and Bull Moose candidates stand for anything they haven't explained it yet. They are probably willing to stand for their salaries and sit for the session.

Perhaps it is better to be catechised than never to have caught on at all.

Boss Penrose having been eliminated, the question in this campaign is, Shall the people rule or shall Boss Flinn rule?

The astute Official Organ opines that Roosevelt's "absurd candidacy" serves only to divide the opposition to Taft. There has been a lingering suspicion in the minds of some veteran political guessers that the candidacy of T. Roosevelt served to divide the opposition to Wilson, and that there was nothing absurd about it.

T. Roosevelt. "The people shall rule. P. S. I am the people."

Perryopolis is raising money by popular subscription to pave its famous Washington Square. Perryopolis is not Bull Moose but it's Progressive.

Congressman Crago is another case of, "Let well enough alone."

The bank reserves are the largest in the history of the country. These Taft times mean money in the bank. Why do some people itch for a change?

The Bull Moose candidate for the Legislature, who tried to get on the ticket at the eleventh hour upon the certificate of the Preemptors' Trust, will learn after the election is over that he was too late. The primary law never intended that the nominations of any political party should be carried around in the vest pocket of the local boss.

Straw votes show which way the Hot Air blows.

The Bull Moose threats of detectives and arrests at the polls for bribery were probably prompted by the known methods of some of their own leaders, but they are wasted energy. There will be no Republican bribery, no Republican repeaters, no Republican violations of the law. The Bull Moosers will do well to keep an eye on themselves. There may be other eyes on them, too.

A vote for Crago is a vote for honesty and efficiency in Congress, and a proper reward for faithful service.

A vote for the Republican legislative ticket is not a vote for Boies Penrose, but a vote for the Bull Moose ticket is a dead-sure vote for Bill Flinn.

The Republican candidates for Legislature in this county represent themselves and the district. Voters who desire that sort of representation will vote that ticket.

The Bull Moose Handbill is reckless in its statements; in fact, it does not seem to know how to tell the truth. It says the Republican leaders of Connellsville and Fayette county have "given it up." No doubt the wish is father to the thought. The Republican local leaders do not give up so readily. They are fighters and they will be heard from tomorrow.

The Democratic assaults seem to be directed chiefly against John Scott Carroll, but many of them have become boomerangs. Representative Carroll's record invites inspection and defies derogation.

In voting the Bull Moose ticket some excellent Connellsville Republicans are permitting their dislike of local political figures to obscure their vision of the larger interests of life.

There are no brass bands this year. Republican campaign managers are doing some quiet and it is hoped effective campaign work.

Squaw Winter arrived on Saturday.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

One Cent a Word.

Wanted.

WANTED—YOU TO ADVERTISE IN our classified columns.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 223 CRAWFORD AVE. 4nov2td

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Living in flat. No children. Apply P. BUFANO. 5nov2td

WANTED—AT THE OLIVER COKE plants Nos. 1, 2, 3, coal miners and coke drawers. Apply to foreman of the respective plants. 8maytfd

WANTED—AT ONCE, TWO BRIGHT, intelligent young ladies, to canvass. Can make $3.00 or $4.00 daily. Money every night. Apply 8.30 A. M., to M. DANIELS, 413 W. Main street. 4nov1td*

WANTED—SALESMEN, ASSOCIATION engineers preferred to sell the Sterling Metallic Packing for Steam and Ammonia engines also for water pumps. A very liberal commission will be allowed to the right man who takes an interest in this work. Samples will be furnished upon application. Please answer promptly, addressing THE STERLING METALLIC PACKING CO., Saratoga Springs, N. Y. 2nov2td

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FOR RENT—HOUSES. J. A. MASON, Second National Bank building. 8octtf

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM with bath, 517 JOHNSTON AVENUE. 31oct6td

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM with bath; 803 W. MAIN STREET. 31octtfd

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FOR RENT—NEW HOUSE IN EAST Park addition, 5 rooms and bath. Apply to O. S. GETTYS, 115 S. Pittsburg street. 4nov1td

FOR RENT—7-ROOM HOUSE WITH bath, East Fayette street, $20. 5-room house on North Prospect street. $13.50. Inquire KAIL'S BANK. 28octeodtf

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE with bath; corner Patterson avenue and Aetna street. Inquire PAUL B DICK, 311 Title & Trust building. 17octeodtf

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM HOUSE. Gas, bath, hot and cold water. Situated on Baldwin avenue. Rent, $13. Inquire at HYATT'S JEWELRY STORE. 2nov3td.

FOR RENT—BRICK HOUSE, FIRST street, South Connellsville. Four rooms and cemented cellar, natural gas, electric light and city water. Rent, $8 per month. Inquire of H. P. SNYDER, Courier Office.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—TWO-BOWL BARBERS' wash stand, cup case, supply case. Inquire H. E. DORSEY, Scottdale. 4nov3td*

FOR SALE—ENTIRE LOT OF household goods. Will sell at bargain. MRS. SARAH DULL, 216 N. Seventh St. 4nov3td.

FOR SALE—LOT ON CHESTNUT street, Connellsville. Price, $600. Good location. Inquire BOX 100, Scottdale, Pa. 31oct6td*

FOR SALE—EAST END ACRE Garden Lots at bargains. Inquire of CHARLES L. GRAY, Connellsville Distilling Company, Connellsville, Pa.

FOR SALE—SMALL COTTAGE, corner of Allegheny avenue and Fourth street, $750.00. Good terms. Will take lot as part payment. CHARLES M. EVANS. 19octeodtf

FOR SALE—TO WHOM IT MAY concern. I will offer for sale at the livery stable of James W. Cromwell at Ohiopyle on Saturday, November 9th, at 2 o'clock P. M., one bay mare (5) years old. J. A. STARK. 1nov3td

Lost.

LOST — AUTOMOBILE DOOR. Reasonable reward if left at CONNELLSVILLE GARAGE. 2nov4td

LOST—A YOUNG JERSEY COW, with one horn off. Reward for information as to her whereabouts by E. B. McFARLAND, Scottdale. 4nov1td

LOST—ON MAIN STREET, FRIDAY evening, November 1st, a gentleman's signet ring, engraved with letter "K." Suitable reward if presented at Courier Office. 4nov2td*

LOST — NEAR FLATWOODS, A black and white beagle gip, answering to name of Fannie. Finder notify ARTHUR C. DUNN, Vanderbilt, for reward. 4nov1td*

$50 Reward.

A REWARD OF $50.00 WILL BE paid to any person or persons who will furnish to the undersigned information of the whereabouts of Joseph Flydell, Sr., who wandered from his home in Dunbar township, Fayette county, Pa., on Sunday, October 27, 1912. The said Flydell is 78 years of age, wore side whiskers and is stooped. At the time of his disappearance he wore a black suit, black soft hat and carried a cane. J. B. FLYDELL, R. F. D. No. 32, Dunbar Pa. 2nov2td

The Cost of Living And Its Relation to Crops.

Despite all the talk of "Tariff for revenue only" and anti-Trust legislation, these subjects would be receiving much less consideration if the cost of living should drop to what it was even a decade ago.

There have been all sorts of theories advanced. One of the most interesting suggestions has come from the National City Bank of New York, that the only possible source of relief is the raising of the productiveness of our land through more intelligent and scientific culture. The statement in part is as follows:

"Probably few people appreciate how difficult it now is to increase the country's production of the staple crops to meet the requirements of our growing population. The cities are growing rapidly and the acreage of farms is increasing only in the far west. East of the Mississippi River there is less land in cultivation than ten years ago, and much of the increase west of the river during that period has been in regions having uncertain rainfall, or in area made available through irrigation.

"It is difficult to understand why so much mystery should be made over the rising cost of living, in view of the revelation of the last census. There has never been in the history of the world a parallel to the rapid settlement of the United States. Nowhere else has there been such a vast area of fertile lands, with an admirable climate, situated upon parallel lines of latitude with Europe and offering equal facilities and inducements from migration from there. Capital came readily to build railroads and population followed in to find homes. The result was a development which made the United States the most important factor in the world's markets for food and raw materials.

"No farther back than 1880 we were an essentially rural people, with most of our population dependent entirely upon agriculture. Including all towns of less than 2,500 in the rural classification, the distribution of our population as shown by the last four censuses has been as follows:

	1910	1900	1890	1880
Urban	46.3	40.5	36.1	29.5
Rural	53.7	59.3	63.9	70.5

"As a purveyor of food supplies to the importing countries of Europe, we are a steadily diminishing factor and the result is seen in the rise of prices there. While the population of this country increased 21 per cent. between the last two censuses, the aggregate acreage of all the cereal crops increased only 3.5 per cent., and the actual yield in 1909 was but 1.5 per cent. greater than in 1899. The country produced 58.4 bushels of the cereals (corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, buckwheat, kaffir corn, emmer and rice) per head of population in 1899 and only 49.1 bushels in 1909. Corn is the chief cereal producing crop, and the corn crop of the United tates is 75 per cent. of the corn crop of the world. The acreage in 1909 was but 3.7 per cent. greater than the acreage of 1899, and the yield was actually less.

"These are facts of very great significance. Indeed, it may be questioned whether any other set of facts in the world today are of equal social and industrial importance. Population has spread over the United States, the free and cheap lands are gone and there is no other equal area on the face of the globe comparable in productiveness and national wealth to the United States remaining to be exploited. The demands for land and the rise in price of farm products have caused an astonishing advance in land values. The census shows that between 1900 and 1910 the average value per acre of all the farms in the United States, exclusive of buildings, increased 108 per cent., or more than 10 per cent. per annum for that period. Much was said two years ago about the dangers of the land boom in the West. As a result of the warning, and of the attitude of bankers toward speculative loans, the fever of speculation has subsided; but all reports are to the effect that there has been no recession in selling prices, but a continual advance.

"The situation has its grave features, for while the change which has come over the position of the farmer, and particularly of the farm owner, is a very agreeable one to him, and perhaps for the present generation gives only just recompense for hardships in the past, we can not look upon the relatively diminishing supplies with other than apprehension. In all of the arts of manufacture, and in facilities for transportation, we make constant progress, and the benefits of that progress are quickly shared by all. But it is unmistakably true that in recent years a considerable share of the natural gains of industrial progress have been offset by higher costs for food, clothing and raw materials. A part of the higher prices goes to the fortunate possessor of land, timber and other natural resources, but a part is expended in the greater effort necessary to produce the commodities in the greater amounts required.

"There is only one possible source of relief from this threatening situation, and that is by raising the productiveness of our lands through more intelligent and scientific culture. There is no known limit to the possibilities of nature, and our average production is far below the results of the best practice. The average yield of corn per acre in this country has never reached 30 bushels but once, and that was in 1872. The important question is, if we have gained nothing in the cultivation of corn in the last forty years, how fast will it be possible to revolutionize farming methods in the future?"

Two Latrobe Miners Killed; 1 Hurt.

A fall of slate crushed the lives out of two men, and injured a third so badly he is expected to die, in the Superior No. 2 mine of the Latrobe-Connellsville Coal & Coke Company, near Latrobe, Saturday night. The dead are Julius Sarefine, aged 24 years, unmarried, and John Jordan, aged 29, unmarried; injured, John Fear, aged 25 years, unmarried, both legs broken.

Buy Your Infants' Wear

From the Store That Looks After the Little Folks.

Don't let the cold weather keep the baby in. They must get out, only when they are comfortably clad. Right now is the time to pay us a visit and lay in your winter supply of children's clothings. This is the store that looks after the babies, and where you will find everything necessary for their wear. The newest things in sweaters, leggings, mitts, booties, moccasins, toques, hats, bonnets, sacques, underwear of all kinds, bands, flannelette gowns, muslin and flannel skirts, night gowns, hose, infants' dresses, stork pants, rubber sheeting, diaper cloth, cantons and outings, fancy outings, embroidered flannels, baby pins, carriage robes, afghans, etc. An attractive new line of these at prices that are very reasonable.

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Just what you are thinking about. Have you seen our new line of these? The biggest stock we remember of every carrying. A beautiful showing, even to our less expensive numbers. Best grade cotton and covered with silkoline in floral designs, and the better ones with fine silkoline and silks with plain silk or satine borders. These are shown at all prices from $1.50 to $7.00 including our fine silk covered snow flake cotton Health Comforts, also Merrit's eHalth comforts, uncovered at $3.50. Ask to see them.

Bath Robe Outing.

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Downs' Shoe Store

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THEY ARE ALL FAIRLY PRICED.

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The Union Supply Company Stores Handle Only Specials.

Take our shoe departments for instance: Every pair we handle is made especially for us, and orders are given the manufacturers months in advance. We have already placed our orders for shoes for our next spring business. Think of that! Six months in advance. The fall and winter shoes we are selling you now, were contracted for almost a year ago; they were bought when the market was low; an average of 15c per pair less than we can buy the same goods for today, and you, our customers, are getting the benefit of it. Now remember, every pair of shoes we have for men, for women, for children, even down to the tiniest tad's shoes, are made especially for us according to our specifications. THAT IS WHY WE GUARANTEE THEM without any hesitation. That is one reason why we know that you are getting the best shoes that can be produced; that is why you can wear a Union Supply Company shoe so much longer than the goods any other dealer puts out. We want to call special attention to the extraordinary good values in men's working shoes for engineers, tipplemen, yardmen, roadmen in mines, haulers, pumpers, miners, etc. Everybody knows that mine work is hard on shoes; sulphur is particularly hard on them, yet we are selling a class of shoes that lasts six months, nine months and even a year, continuous wear, at this work. We want also to call your attention to our very excellent shoes for boys, nock-a-bouts, everyday play or work shoe; good fitting; good wearing; medium priced. We can say the same for the girls'. For the women, we also have very desirable stylish, specially made for our trade, good fitting, good wearing shoes, and moderate in price. The very large quantity we sell is the best evidence in the world, that our goods are alrigh'

Union Supply Company Special Goods; Specially Made In the Furniture Departments.

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CONNELLSVILLE WINS FROM HOMESTEAD BY SCORE OF 54 TO 3

Local High School Maintains Record of Victories on Gridiron.

GAME AT BEGINNING IS CLOSE

Winners Penalized Number of Times in Contest, But Superior System and Ready Work Reap Results; Battle Not Marred by Mishaps.

Connellsville High School's no-score record on the football field, this season, was broken Saturday afternoon, when, in the third quarter, Homestead got within striking distance and kicked a goal from field for three points.

But Connellsville so outdistanced Homestead the field goal was lost sight of. When the referee's whistle announced the end of the game, the score stood: Connellsville High—54; Homestead—3.

About 300 High School rooters and a few visitors braved a wintry wind to see the battle at Fayette Field. Toward the end of the game, snow flurries came, but the spectators held to the sidelines and watched the local High display its strength.

The contest began with Jones kicking off to Homestead. Connellsville got the ball on a punt after Homestead was unable to gain. On a forward pass from Moser to Jones, 45 yards from the center of the field were made. Then Jones smashed through Homestead's left tackle for a touchdown. Two plays and two minutes were required for the first six points. Jones kicked goal. Score, 7-0.

After an exchange of kicks, Connellsville got the ball on Homestead's 50-yard line. Jones, Finella and Rhodes, in line plunges, took the ball to Homestead's goal, and Moser carried it over. Jones kicked goal. Score, 14-0.

The next kickoff went out of bounds. Homestead then got the ball on their own 20-yard line, and made 20 yards on a forward pass. Rhodes ran back a punt to the center of the field. The quarter was up with the ball on Homestead's 21-yard line. The play was not allowed, on account of time however, and the second quarter was begun with the ball on Homestead's 45-yard line.

Following an exchange of punts and line rushes, Jones went over the line for another touchdown but failed at goal. Score, 20-0. Miller was substituted for Finella, and O'Donovan for Addis. On the kickoff, Kell tackled his man so hard the ball was dropped. But it was recovered only to be lost by another fumble. Jones and Miller plunged for long gains, and Moser scored a touchdown. Jones kicked goal. Score, 27-0.

With the kickoff to Homestead at the start of the second half, Miller got the ball on a fumble on Homestead's 25-yard line. Miller fumbled and Homestead's left tackle got the ball. But Homestead was forced to kick. Connellsville was penalized for holding. With the ball at the center of the field, Connellsville's backs pushed to within one foot of Homestead's goal. Then Moser went through center, and the score was made 34-0 when Jones kicked goal.

Kennell went in for Windrove. Homestead was forced to kick to Rhodes at the center of the field. He ran back to the 25-yard line, and after several plunges Miller made a touchdown. Jones kicked goal. Score, 41-0. O. Moser went in for Miller, and McClann took Cox's place. Homestead became desperate. Forward passes by Davis to Hillman, Kelly and McClean put the ball on Connellsville's 15-yard line. Two more forwards failed, but Hillman on a fake pass reached Connellsville's 9-yard line. Kelly dropped back. Davis caught a pass and held it on the 18-yard line while Kelly kicked. Score, Connellsville—41; Homestead—3.

Following the kickoff Jones caught a forward pass by Davis and raced over the field for a touchdown. He missed the try for goal. Score, 47-3. Homestead shifted Kelly and Hillman to halves Davis taking Hillman's place and Israel shifting to Kelly's position.

In the last quarter Jones and McCormick caught forward passes. McCormick made a touchdown, and Jones kicked goal. Score, 54-3. Long for O'Donovan and Addis for Long were substitutions. Addis, a few minutes later, was put out for rough playing, and Connellsville was penalized half the field length from Homestead's 15-yard line. Addis claimed, however, that a Homestead man had slugged him. Darr took Addis' place. The quarter ended when Darr threw a Homestead man, after a punt, for a 2-yard loss on the 40-yard line.

The lineup:

CONNELLSVILLE.		HOMESTEAD.
Addis	left end	Kelly
Kell	left tackle	Israel
Moser	left guard	Wickersham
Cox	center	McNally
Windrove	right guard	Martha
Moore	right tackle	Foster
McCormick	right end	Marshall
Moser	quarterback	Hillman
Finella	left half	Davis
Jones	right half	Lindberg
Rhodes	fullback	McClean

Referee—Horwick. Umpire—Mestrezat. Head linesman—Blair, Buckholt. Linesmen—Duncan, Georgetown, and Campbell, Homestead. Timekeepers—Supt. Ashe, Connellsville, and Supt. Deffenbaugh, Homestead. Time of quarters—12 minutes each.

Wilson Hurt in Auto Mishap.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 4.—Gov. Woodrow Wilson last night wore a narrow strip of collodion and gauze across the top of his head, covering a scalp wound three inches long which he received early yesterday in a motor car mishap on the way home from Red Bank, N. J. His automobile struck a mound in the road and jolted him up against a steel rib in the roof of the limousine car.

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MILITANT MINISTER WHO STRIVES FOR CHRISTIAN CITIZENS.

The Rev. James S. McGraw, D. D., whose portrait is reproduced above, field secretary of the National Reform Association of Pittsburg, and who is organizing a second World's Christian Citizenship conference to be held at Portland, Ore., June 29-July 6, 1913, will deliver an address, the morning of November 10, in the First Presbyterian Church, and the evening of the same day, in the United Presbyterian Church.

Blatt May Win Mexican Suit.

Kidnaping two Americans on native soil and delivering them to a foreign army is the charge on which Ramon Nunez was convicted in the District Court at El Paso, Tex., Saturday, which recommended a sentence of four years. The conviction may tend to bear out the claim of $50,000 each of Lawrence Converse and Edwin Blatt, formerly of Uniontown, against the Mexican Government for their detention by Mexican Federal troops in Juarez jail, prior to the capture of the town by Madero's revolutionists last year.

Blind Lad Bars Greensburg Woman.

Mrs. Katherine McSweeney, a pretty young woman of Greensburg, who went to Ireland on a visit last summer with her two babies, was detained at Ellis Island with her children and her husband, Christopher McSweeney, a machinist of Greensburg, because she brought from Dublin, Cecil Morris, a 7-year-old blind boy.

Rockwood Asks School Vote.

ROCKWOOD, Nov. 4.—The directors of the Rockwood public schools today called the attention of voters to the necessity of registering to increase the school indebtedness $12,500 for the erection of an addition of four rooms to the present building on the Broadway side.

Charleroi Worker Bars Shooting Quiz.

Mystery surrounds the shooting of Felix Protine, aged 25, a glassworker, who was found late Saturday night in a serious condition with a bullet wound in his right side. Protine refused to tell the Charleroi police who fired the shot.

CARUSO HINTS AT PLOT TO KILL HIM IN SLANDER SUIT.

ROME, Nov. 4.—A plot to assassinate Enrico Caruso, the tenor, was hinted at in evidence taken at the opening of the proceedings for slander brought by Caruso against Signorina Giachetti, his former sweetheart and companion, who has borne him several children. The once loving pair fell out when the signorina's chauffeur lost his heart to her, and the present court action is a sequel to her unsuccessful suit against Caruso last year, wherein she charged that he had intercepted a letter from Gaetano Loria in behalf of Oscar Hammerstein offering her a $50,000 contract to sing at his opera houses. It was in 1908 that Giachetti eloped, so it was alleged, with Romanti, her chauffeur. She had taken up with Caruso ten years before, when both were singing at Florence. She was in New York with Caruso in 1903. She went to New York again in January, 1909, and it was said she tried to make up with Caruso, but he would not see her. Then she returned to Europe, taking with her, it was said, $25,000 of Caruso's money. In May, 1910, Signorina Giachetti complained to a Milan court that Caruso and his fellow artist, Carlotta Carignani, had intercepted letter from Gaetano Loria offering her a $50,000 operatic contract in New York. Caruso and Loria were acquitted, and they brought the present counter suit for slander against Giachetti.

BURGLAR ENTERS HOME OF PRIEST IN SCOTTDALE

Residence of Rev. Father M. A. Lambing is Robbed of Valuables.

JUBILEE CUP TAKEN IN LOOT

Thief Gains Entrance Into Building by Means of Dining-Room Window Fronting Church Street; Police Admit Lack of Clues; Other News.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Nov. 4.—The residence of the Rev. M. A. Lambing, pastor of St. John's the Baptist R. C. church, was robbed of all its silverware, cut glass and even the large loving cup presented to Father Lambing, during his jubilee celebration a few years ago, the robbery taking place the other night. Entrance was made through the dining room window on Church street and the thief or thieves got away with quite an amount of household stuff.

VICAR HERE.

The Rev. C. J. DeCoux, Diocesan Vicar, was at St. Bartholmew's Episcopal church on Sunday evening, where he preached on the subject of "Why Men Do Not Affiliate With the Church."

COOLER WEATHER.

The first snow of the season fell here on Saturday afternoon at 12.30 o'clock, and the flakes were thick and looked quite wintry. There was a freeze on Sunday night, with the thermometer showing at 38 degrees.

ELECTION DAY.

There is the usual skirmish going on today to secure the officers and clerks to fill out the election boards for tomorrow, every board lacking one or more members. The Fourth Ward muddle which the County Commissioners allowed to go through, has been straightened out. When the new hose house was built an application was made to change the polling place from Temperance Hall to the hose house and the Commissioners are said to have assured the people of the ward that the change would be made. When the election proclamation was published it was seen that no change had been made, although the paraphernalia of elections had been moved out. The matter was taken up anew and the order granted that will make the hose house the voting place tomorrow. The Fourth Ward for years has held the unwholesome distinction of never permitting the election reports to remain up after they are posted, the paper being torn down the morning after. The crime of tearing down election statements is punishable by fine and imprisonment and several of the citizens have determined to have the ward purged of such a reputation, so that if the statements are torn down this year, there will likely be some one go to jail for it.

A HALLOWE'EN PARTY.

A Hallowe'en party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hawthorne, on Thursday evening. The house was decorated in orange and black and guests were present from West Virginia, Connellsville and Leisenring.

MRS. MILLS IMPROVES.

According to a message received here yesterday, the condition of Mrs. Mary A. Mills, who is very ill at her home in Annville, is slightly improved.

AARON STONER HURT.

Aaron Stoner, of near town on the Nebo road, was badly injured on Saturday afternoon, when the horse he was driving suddenly started and threw him under the wagon, a wheel of which passed over him. Mr. Stoner had stopped in Pine Tree to get a crock of butter out of the wagon and, it seems, was just getting the crock out of the wagon when the horse seemed to think they were ready to start, and started quickly. Mr. Stoner was knocked down and rendered unconscious. He was removed to the home of his son, Bert Stoner, in Pine Tree, and his condition is very serious.

LOST.

LOST—A young Jersey cow with one horn off. Reward for information as to her whereabouts by E. E. McFarland, Scottdale.—Adv.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

Vaudeville's Greatest Road Show at The Colonial Theatre, Connellsville, Election Night, Tuesday, November 5; 10—Acts—10, all headliners; election returns read from stage between each act.—Adv.

Have You Anything For Sale?
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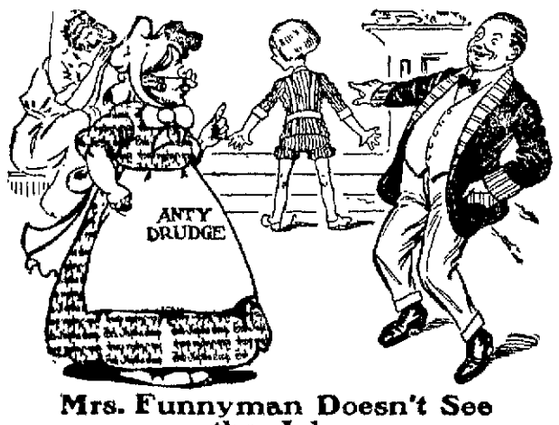
Abe Martin.

If your wife sold your overcoat for a dollar an' a half in July it's a sign o' a long hard winter an' a tardy spring.

Kraut has jumped f' ten cents a quart since last we met.



Mrs. Funnyman Doesn't See the Joke

Mr. Funnyman—"Nellie is angry, Anty Drudge. She just showed me a suit of Tommy's that she washed today, and it shrunk so he can't wear it. I told her she'd better wash Tommy the same way, so he'd shrink and fit the suit, and it made her angry."

Anty Drudge—"I should think it would! You men think you are so funny. But I'll bet she didn't wash that suit with Fels-Naptha Soap, or she wouldn't be feeling so tired and cross now, and the suit wouldn't have shrunk, either."

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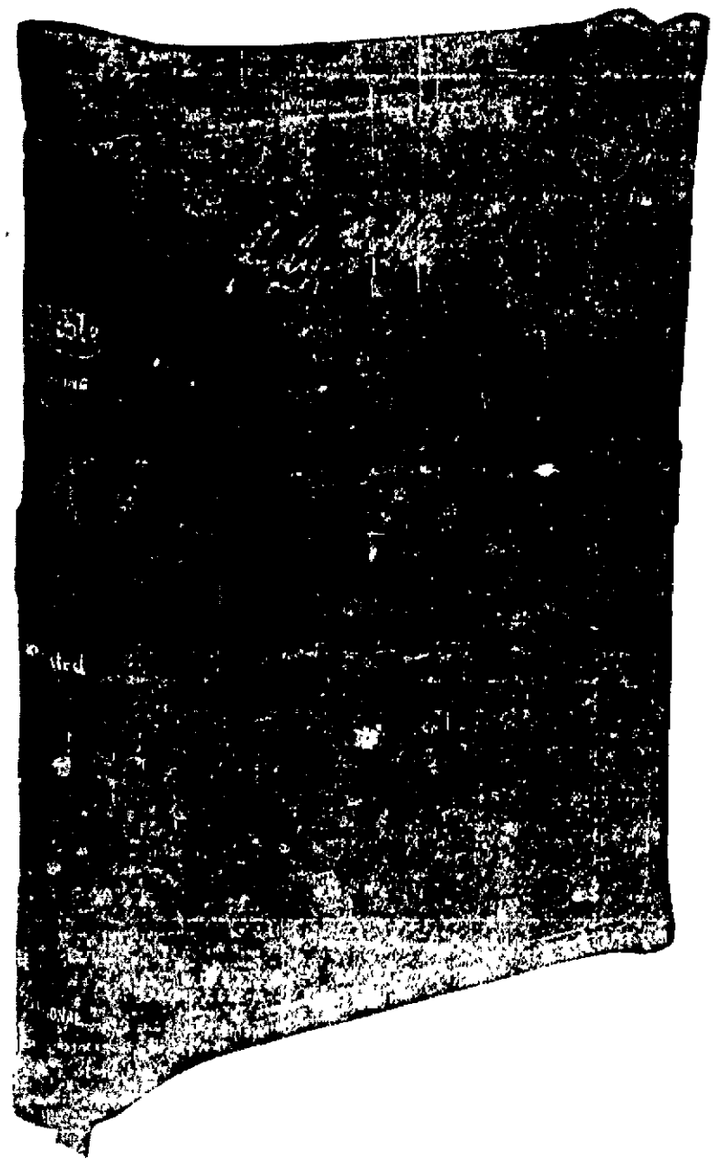

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CHAPTER IV.

The Attack.

Slightly more than sixty miles, as the route ran, stretched between old Fort Dodge and the ford crossing the Arkansas leading down to the Cimarron; another sixty miles distant, across a desert of alkali and sand, lay Devere. The main Santa Fe trail, broad and deeply rutted by the innumerable wheels of early spring caravans, followed the general course of the river, occasionally touching the higher level plains, but mostly keeping close beneath the protection of the northern bluffs, or else skirting the edge of the water. Night or day the route was easily followed, and, in other years, the traveler was seldom for long out of sight of toiling wagons. Now scarcely a wheel turned in all that lonely distance.

The west-bound stage left the station at Deer Creek at four o'clock in the afternoon with no intimation of danger ahead. Its occupants had eaten dinner in company with those of the east-bound coach, eighteen miles down the river at Canon Bluff, and the in-coming driver had reported an open road, and no unusual trouble. No Indian signs had been observed, not even signal fires during the night, and the conductor, who had come straight from Santa Fe, reported that troops from Fort Union had driven the only known bunch of raiders back from the neighborhood of the trail, and had them already safely corralled in the mountains. This report, seemingly authentic and official, served to relax the nerves, and the west bound driver sang to himself as he guided the four horses forward, while the conductor, a sawed-off gun planted between his knees, nodded drowsily. Inside there were but three passengers, jerking back and forth, as the wheels struck the deep ruts of the trail, occasionally exchanging a word or two, but usually staring gloomily forth at the monotonous scene. Miss McDonald and Moylan occupied the back seat, some baggage wedged tightly between to keep them more secure on the slippery cushion, while facing them, and clinging to his support with both hands, was a pock-marked Mexican, with rather villainous face and ornate dress, and excessively polite manners. He had joined the little party at Dodge, smiling happily at sight of Miss Molly's face when she unveiled, although his small knowledge of English prevented any extended effort at conversation. Moylan, however, after careful scrutiny, engaged him shortly in Spanish, and later explained to the girl, in low tones, that the man was a Santa Fe gambler known as Gonzales, with a reputation to be hinted at but not openly discussed.

They were some six miles to the west of Deer Creek, the horses still moving with spirit, the driver's foot on the brake, when the stage took a sudden plunge down a sloping bank where the valley perceptibly narrowed. To the left, beyond a flat expanse of brown, sun-scorched grass, flowed the widely spreading waters of the Arkansas, barely covering the treacherous sandy bottom, and from the other side came the more distant gleam of alkali plains; to the right arose the bluffs, here both steep and rugged, completely shutting off the view, barren of vegetation except for a few scattered patches of grass. Suddenly a man rode out of a rift in the bank, directly in front, and held up his hand. Surprised, startled, the driver instantaneously clamped on his brake, and brought his horses to a quick stop; the conductor, nearly flung from his seat, yanked his gun forward

"None of that now," called out the man in saddle quickly, both hands uplifted to show their emptiness "This is no hold-up. I've got news."

He spurred his pony forward slowly, the animal seemingly barely able to move, and swung out of the saddle beside the front wheel, staggering a bit as though his limbs were cramped as his feet felt the ground.

"I'm from Fort Union," he said, "Seventh Cavalry, sent through by way of Cimarron Springs. There is hell to pay west of here, the stations at Arkansas Crossing and Low Water were burned last night."

"The devil you say," burst out the driver hoarsely, his startled eyes sweeping the horizon. "Injuns?"

"Sure, plenty of signs, but I haven't seen any bucks myself. As soon as I discovered what had happened at the Crossing I struck out on to the plateau, and came around that way to warn these fellows at Low Water. But when I got sight of that station from off the bluffs yonder it had been wiped out. Then I thought about this stage going west today, and came on to meet you. Must have ridden a hundred an' twenty miles since yesterday; the mustang is all in."

Moylan stuck his head out the nearest window,

"Look like they had much of a fight at the Crossing?" he asked.

"Not much; more like a night raid; two whites killed, and scalped. The third man either was taken away, or his body got burnt in the building. Horses all gone."

"What tribe?"

"Arapahoes, from the way they scalped; that's what made it so serious—if the Northern Indians broken loose there is going to be war this time for sure."

The men on the box looked at each other questioningly.

"I don't see no use tryin' to go on, Jake, do you?" asked the driver soberly. "Even if we do git through, thar ain't no hosses to be had."

The other shook his head, rubbing his gun-stock.

"Most likely those same red devils are layin' for us now somewhar between vere an' Low Water; whar the trail runs in between them two big rocks, most probable," he concluded. "Not havin' no ha'r to lose, I'm fer goin' back."

With an oath of relief, the driver released his brake and skillfully swung the leaders around, the coach groaning as it took the sharp turn. The man on the ground caught a swiftly passing glimpse of the young woman's face within, and strode hurriedly forward as the coach started.

"Hold on there, pardner," he commanded sternly, "This poor bronc' won't travel another mile. There's plenty of room for me inside, and I'll turn the tired devil loose. Hold on, I say!"

The driver once again slapped on the brake, growling and reluctant, his anxious eyes searching the trail in both directions. Hamlin quietly unclinched his saddle, flinging it to the coach roof; the bridle followed, and then, with a slap on the haunch of the released animal, he strode to the stage door, thrust his Henry rifle within, and took the vacant seat beside Gonzales. With a sudden crack of the driver's whip the four horses leaped forward, and the coach careened on the slope of the trail, causing the passengers to clutch wildly to keep from being precipitated into a mass on the floor. As the traces straightened, Miss Molly, clinging desperately to a strap, caught her first fair glance at the newcomer. His hat was tilted back, the light revealing lines of weariness and a coating of the gray, powdery dust of the alkali desert, but beneath it appeared the brown, sun-scorched skin, while the gray eyes looking straight at her, were resolute and smiling. His rough shirt, open at the throat, might have been the product of any settler's counter; he wore no jacket, and the broad yellow stripe down the leg of the faded blue trousers alone proclaimed him a soldier. He smiled across at her, and she lowered her eyes, while his glance wandered on toward the others.

"Don't seem to be very crowded today," he began, genially addressing Moylan. "Not an extremely popular route at present, I reckon. Mining, pardner?"

"No; post-trader at Fort Marcy."

"Oh, that's it," his eyebrows lifting slightly. "This Indian business is a bad job for you then." His eyes fell on his seatmate. "Well, it this isn't little Gonzales!—You've got a good ways from home."

"Si, senor!" returned the Mexican brokenly. "I tink I not romem."

"No, I reckon not. I'm not one of your class; cards and I never did agree. I shot up your game once down at Union; night Dessinger was killed. Remember now, don't you?"

"Si, senor," spreading his hands. "It was mos' unfortunate."

"Would have been more so, if the boys had got hold of you—Saint Anne! but that fellow on the box is driving some."

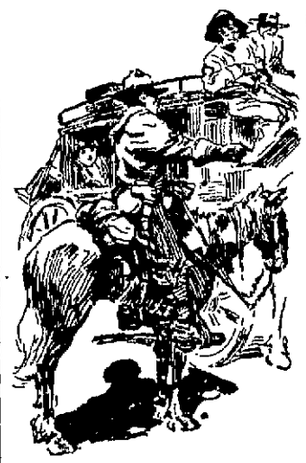
The thud of the horses' feet under the lash, coupled with the reckless lurching of the coach, ended all further attempt at conversation, and the four passengers held on grimly, and stared out of the windows, as if expecting every instant that some accident would hurl them headlong. The frightened driver was apparently sparing neither whip nor tongue, the galloping teams jerking the stage after them in a mad race up the trail. Hamlin thrust his head out of the nearest window, but a sudden lurch hurled him back, the coach taking a sharp curve on two wheels, and coming down level once again with a bump which brought the whole four together. The little Mexican started to scream out a Spanish oath, but Hamlin gripped his throat before it was half uttered, while Moylan pressed the girl back into her seat, bracing himself to hold her firm.

"What the devil—" he began angrily, and then the careening coach stopped as suddenly as though it had struck the bank, again tearing loose their handhold on the seats and flinging them headlong. They heard the creaking clamp of the brakes, the dancing of frightened horses, a perfect volley of oaths, the crunch of feet as men leaped from the top to the ground; then, all at once, the stage lurched forward, swerving sharply to the left, and struck out across the flat directly toward the bluff.

Hamlin struggled to the nearest window, and, grasping the sill to hold himself upright, leaned out. He caught a momentary glimpse of two men riding swiftly up the trail; the box above was empty, the wheelers alone remained in harness, and they were running uncontrolled.

"By God!" he muttered "Those two damn cowards have cut loose and left us!"

Even as the unrestrained words leaped from his lips he realized the only hope—the reins still dangled, caught securely in the brake lever. Inch by inch, foot by foot, he wiggled out; Moylan, comprehending, caught his legs, holding him steady against the mad pitching. His fingers gripped the iron top rail, and, exerting all his strength, he slowly pulled his body up, until he fell forward into the driver's seat. Swift as he had been, the action



"There Is Hell to Pay West of Here."

was not quickly enough conceived to avert disaster. He had the reins in his grip when the swinging pole struck the steep side of the bluff, snapping off with a sharp crack, and flinging down the frightened animals, the wheels crashing against them, as the coach came to a sudden halt. Hamlin hung on grimly, flung forward to the footrail by the force of the shock, his body bruised and aching. One horse lay motionless, head under, apparently instantly killed; his mate struggled to his feet, tore frantically loose from the traces, and went flying madly down the slope, the broken harness dangling at his heels. The Sergeant sat up and stared about, sweeping the blood from a slight gash out of his eyes. Then he came to himself with a gasp—understanding instantly what it all meant, why those men had cut loose the horses and ridden away, why the wheelers had plunged forward in that mad run-away race—between the bluffs and the river a swarm of Indians were lashing their ponies, spreading out like the sticks of a fan.

CHAPTER V.

The Defense of the Stage.

There were times when Hamlin's mental processes seemed slow, almost sluggish, but this was never true in moments of emergency and peril. Then he became swift, impetuous, seemingly borne forward by some inspiring instinct. It was for such experiences as this that he remained in the service—his whole nature responding almost joyously to the bugle-call of action, of imminent danger, his nerves steadying into rock. These were the characteristics which had won him his chevrons in the unrewarded service of the frontier, and, when scarcely more than a boy, had put a captain's bars on the gray collar of his Confederate uniform.

Now, as he struggled to his knees, gripping the iron foot-rail with one hand, a single glance gave him a distinct impression of their desperate situation. With that knowledge, there likewise flashed over his mind the only possible means of defense. The Indians, numbering at least thirty, had ridden recklessly out from under the protection of the river bank, spreading to right and left, as their ponies' hoofs struck the turf, and were now charging down upon the disabled coach, yelling madly and brandishing their guns. The very reckless abandon of their advance expressed the conception they had of the situation—they had witnessed the flight of the two fugitives, the runaway of the wheelers, and believed the remaining passengers would be helpless victims. They came on, savage and confident, not anticipating a fight, but a massacre—shrieking prisoners, and a glut of revenge.

With one swing of his body, Hamlin was upon the ground, and had jerked open the inside door of the coach, forcing it back against the dirt of the bluff which towered in protection above. His eyes were quick to perceive the peculiar advantage of position; that their assailants would be compelled to advance from only one direction. The three within were barely struggling to their feet, dazed, bewildered, failing as yet to comprehend fully those distant yells, when he sprang into their midst, uttering his swift orders, and unceremoniously jerking the men into position for defense.

"Here, quick now! Don't waste time! It's a matter of seconds, I tell you! They're coming—a horde of them. Here, Moylan, take this rifle barrel and knock a hole through the back there big enough to slight out of. Hit it hard, damn you, it's a case of life or death! What have you got, Gonzales? A revolver? Into that window there, and blaze away; you've got the reputation of a gun-man; now let's see you prove it. Get back in the corner, miss, so I can slip past—no, lie down below the fire line!"

"But—but I will not!" and she faced him, her face white, but her eyes shining. "I can shoot! See!" and she flashed a pearl-handled revolver defiantly. The Sergeant thrust her unceremoniously aside and plunged across to the opposite window, gripping his Henry rifle.

"Do as I say," he growled. "This is our fight. Get down! Now, you terriers, let them have it!"

There was a wild skurrying of mounted figures almost at the coach wheels, hair streaming, feathers waving, lean, red arms thrown up, the air vocal with shrill outcries—then the dull bark of a Henry, the boom of a Winchester, the sharp spitting of a Colt. The smoke rolled out in a cloud, pungent, concealing, nervous fingers pressing the triggers again and again. They could see reeling horses, men gripping their ponies' manes to keep erect, staring, frightened eyes, animals flung back on their haunches, rearing madly in the air. The fierce yell of exultation changed into a savage scream, bullets crashed into the thin sides of the coach; it rocked with the contact of a half-naked body flung forward by a plunging horse; the Mexican swore wildly in Spanish, and then—the smoke blew aside and they saw the field; the dead and dying ponies, three motionless bodies huddled on the grass, a few dismounted stragglers racing on foot for the river bank, and a squad of riders circling beyond the trail. Hamlin swept the mingled sweat and blood out of his eyes, smiled grimly, and glanced back into the coach, instinctively slipping fresh cartridges into his hot rifle.

"That's one time those fellows ran into a hornet's nest," he commented quietly, all trace of excitement vanished. "Better load up, boys, for we're not through yet—they'll only be more careful next time. Anybody hurt?"

"Somethin' creased my back," replied Moylan, complainingly, and trying vainly to put a hand on the spot. "Felt like a streak o' fire." The Sergeant reached across, fingering the torn shirt cautiously.

"Seared the flesh, pardner, but no blood worth mentioning. They've got some heavy artillery out there from the sound—old army muskets likely. It is our repeating rifles that will win out—those red devils don't understand them yet."

"Senor, you tink we win out den?" and Gonzales peered up blinking into the other's face. "Caorel dey vil fight deeferent de nex' time. Ze Americaine musket, eet carry so far—ess eet not so?"

Hamlin patted his brown barrel affectionately as if it were an old friend, and smiled across into the questioning eyes of the girl.

"I'm willing to back this weapon against the best of them for distance," he replied easily, "and it's accurate besides. How about it, Moylan?"

"I'd about as soon be in front as behind one of them cannon," answered the sutler soberly. "I toted one four years. But say, pardner, what's yer name? Yer a cavalryman, ain't yer?"

"Sergeant—forgot I wasn't properly introduced," and he bent his head slightly, glancing again toward the girl. "Hamlin is the rest of it."

"'Brick' Hamlin?"

"Sometimes—delicate reference to my hair, miss," and he took off his hat, his gray eyes laughing. "Born that way, but doesn't seem to interfere with me much, since I was a kid. You've heard of me then, Moylan? So has our little friend, Gonzales, here."

The sober-faced sutler merely nodded, evidently in no mood for pleasantry.

"Oh, ye're all right," he said finally, "I've heard 'em say you was a fighter down round Santa Fe, an' I know it myself now. But what the hell are we goin' to do. This yere stagecoach ain't much of a fort to keep off a bunch o' redskins once they git their mad up. Them musket bullets go through like the sides was paper, an' I reckon we ain't got no oversupply o' ammunition—I know I ain't fer this Winchester. How long do yer reckon we kin hold out?"

Hamlin's face became grave, his eyes also turning toward the river The sun was already sinking low in the west, and the Indians, gathered in council out of rifle-shot, were like shadows against the glimmering water beyond.

"They'll try us again just before dark," he affirmed slowly, "but more cautiously. If that attack fails, then they'll endeavor to creep in, and take us by surprise. It's going to be a clear night, and there is small chance for even an Indian to hide in that buffalo-grass with the stars shining. They have got to come up from below, for no buck could climb down this bluff without making a noise. I don't see why, with decent luck, we can't hold out as we are until help gets here; those fellows who rode away will report at Canon Bluff and send a rider on to Dodge for help. There ought to be soldiers out here by noon tomorrow. What troops are at Dodge now?"

"Only a single company—infantry," replied Moylan gloomily. "All the rest are out scouting 'long the Solomon. Damned if I believe they'll send us a man. Those two cowards will likely report us all dead—otherwise they wouldn't have any excuse for runnin' away—and the commander will satisfy himself by sendin' a courier to the fellers in the field."

"Well, then," commented the Sergeant, his eyes gleaming, "we've simply got to fight it out alone, I reckon, and hang on to our last shots. What do you make of those reds?"

The three men stared for some time at the distant group over their rifles, in silence.

"They ain't all Arapahoes, that's certain," said Moylan at last. "Some of 'em are Cheyennes. I've seen that chief before—it's Roman Nose."

"The big buck humped up on the roan?"

"That's the one, and he is a bad actor; saw him once over at Fort Kearney two years ago. Had a council there. Say!" in surprise, "ain't that an Ogalla Sioux war bonnet bobbin' there to the right, Sergeant?"

Hamlin studied the distant feathered head-dress indicated, shading his eyes with one hand.

"I reckon maybe it is, Moylan," he acknowledged at last gravely. "Those fellows have evidently got together; we're going to have the biggest scrap this summer the old army has had yet. Looks as though it was going to begin right here—and now. See there! The dance is on, boys; there they come, they will try it on foot this time."

He tested his rifle, resting one knee on the seat; Moylan pushed the barrel of his Winchester out through the ragged hole in the back of the coach and the little Mexican lay flat, his eyes on the level with the window-casing. The girl alone remained motionless, crouched on the floor, her white face uplifted.

The entire field stretching to the river was clear to the view, the short, dry buffalo-grass offering no concealment To the right of the coach, some fifty feet away, was the only depression, a shallow gully leading down from the bluff, but this slight advantage was unavailable. The sun had already dropped from view, and the gathering twilight distorted the figures, making them almost grotesque in their savagery. Yet they could be clearly distinguished, stealing silently forward, guns in hand, spreading out in a wide half-circle, obedient to

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the gestures of Roman Nose, who, still mounted upon his pony, was traversing the river bank, his every motion outlined against the dull gleam of water behind him. From the black depths of the coach the three men watched in almost breathless silence, gripping their weapons, fascinated, determined not to waste a shot. Gonzales, under the strain, uttered a fierce Spanish curse, but Hamlin crushed his arm between iron fingers.

"Keep still, you fool!" he muttered, never glancing around. "Let your gun talk!"

The assailants came creeping on, snakes rather than men, appearing less and less human in the increasing shadows. Twice the Sergeant lifted his Henry, sighting along the brown barrel, lowering the weapon again in doubt of the distance. He was conscious of exultation, of a swifter pulse of the heart, yet his nerves were like steel, his grip steady. Only a dim fleeting memory of the girl, half hidden in the darkness behind, gave him uneasiness—he could not turn and look into her eyes. Roman Nose was advancing now at the center of that creeping half circle, a hulking figure perched on his pony's back, yet well out of rifle range. He spread his hands apart, clasping a blanket, looking like a great bird flapping its wings, and the ground in front flamed, the red flare splitting the gray gloom. The speeding bullets crashed through the leather of the coach, splintering the wood; the Mexican rolled to the floor, uttering one inhuman cry, and lay motionless; a great volume of black smoke wavered in the still air.

"Wait! Wait until they get to their feet!" Hamlin cried eagerly. "Ah! there they come—now unlimber."

He saw only those black, indistinct figures, leaping out of the smoke, converging on the coach, their naked arms uplifted, their voices mingling in savage yells. Like lightning he worked his rifle, heart throbbing to the excitement, oblivious to all else; almost without realization he heard the deep or bellow of Moylan's Winchester, the sharp bark of a revolver at his very ear. Gonzales was all right, then! Good! He never thought of the girl, never saw her grip the pistol from the Mexican's dead hand, and crawl white faced, over his body, to that front seat. All he really knew was that those devils were coming, leaping, crowding through the smoke wreathes; he saw them stumble, and rise again; he saw one leap into the air, and then crash face down; he saw them break, circling to right and left, crouching as they ran. Two reached the stage—only one! One pitched forward, a revolver bullet between his eyes, his head wedged in the spokes of the wheel; the other Hamlin struck with emptied rifle-barrel as his red hand gripped the door, sending him sprawling back into the dirt. It was all the work of a minute, an awful minute, intense, breathless—then silence, the smoke drifting away, the dark night hiding the skulking runners

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Dispassionate judges will accord to the Taft administration the credit of putting in force more measures of a positively progressive character than any other administration since the civil war. Not only have such measures been numerous, but they have been of great and far reaching importance. President Taft has labored indefatigably to serve the whole people, and by means of his broad experience and rare judicial mind and having at his command legal talent of the highest order he has put his progressive policies one after another into valid and practical legislation. This has been done without boasting and noise. Whether vindicated or not at the coming election, Mr. Taft's work will stand as a chapter of achievement as brilliant as it is meritorious.

We wish at this time to invite attention to two specific features of governmental progress. One consists of the interstate commerce commission's investigation of the express companies, resulting in the recent report ordering the companies to reduce rates and institute sweeping reforms in various directions. The other is the enactment of the Bourne parcels post bill, one of the most useful measures ever put in force in this country under any administration. These two reforms, taken in connection, will exert a powerful influence for a reduction of the cost of living.

Mr. Taft has been in complete sympathy with the interstate commerce commission's inquiry into the express business, a process consistent in all respects with the administration's general policy of compelling big corporations to square themselves with the law and the public interest. Some of the more powerful corporations do not like that policy, but the public ought to indorse it. The enactment of a parcels post law brings to fruition a plan that found indorsement in the platform upon which the president was elected. Through the action of the senate the Bourne bill, looking to a parcels service at the lowest practicable rates within a given territory, was substituted for the house bill with its flat rate provisions. The measure as passed probably is not perfect, nor should the rates be regarded as permanent. The plan is experimental in certain respects. But we believe the principle of the act is correct. One of the most important aspects of this measure is its bearing on the food situation. It will give consumers and producers a new medium of direct contact. The interstate commerce commission's rulings respecting the express companies also make special account of this problem. The express companies are required to order their business in such a manner as to give quicker service and lower rates on food products.

It is recognized by all economic investigators that one of the greatest problems related to the cost of living is that which has to do with the system of distribution. Express reforms and the parcels post will be of great value in promoting prompter and cheaper distribution of food products, especially, and at the same time the scope of these measures is so comprehensive as to apply to all classes of merchandise. Production, too, should be greatly stimulated by the influence thus invoked.

We do not say that President Taft deserves the sole credit for these departures, but we cite them as features of an administration that some persons would have us believe is nonprogressive, when in reality they form a logical part of a great progressive epoch, which opened with the inauguration of Mr. Taft, and which, in the people's patriotism and good sense, will be continued during four more years of the same courageous and able leadership.

A PERTINENT QUESTION

Which the Third Termer Did Not Care to Answer.

A man attending a third term meeting at Denver asked the third termer this very pertinent question, "Would not the Republican party have been all right if it had nominated you?"

The third termer did not reply. He simply looked angry and went on doling out political, economic and socialistic chop suey garnished with the usual sauce of epithets. It was, we repeat, a very pertinent question. The Republican party and Republican principles were good enough for the third termer until he found that the party was not willing to give him a third term. Then he broke loose and is now battering in every issue and every wild issue he could grab to make up his crazy quilt platform. He has sought, with the savage rage of a Malay running amuck, to destroy everybody and everything obstructing his mad onrush toward a goal he will never reach. His ingratitude to the party which honored him immeasurably beyond his deserts will have fitting reward in the historic fate of those who have sought to "rule or ruin."

Extract from statement of Mr. Roosevelt, dated Nov. 8, 1904:

"On the 4th day of March next I shall have served three and one-half years, and this three and one-half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form. Under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

"What Washington would not take, and Grant could not get, no man shall have."

CHEAP MONEY FOR FARMERS

President Taft Invites Governors of All the States to a Conference to Consider His Plan for Reducing the Cost of Food Production.

Beverly, Mass.—Radical State and Federal legislation to bring the American farmer cheap money at better terms and to reduce the cost of living to the consumer by reducing the cost of production to the farmer was urged by President Taft in a letter sent Friday to the Governors of all the States, inviting them to a conference in Washington upon this subject.

According to President Taft, the plan which he advocates "offers a means to secure to this country greater productivity, at less cost, from the farms that are now under cultivation, and, above all, to give us more farms and more farmers. It will make it profitable for the farmer to return to the cultivation of the abandoned farmlands of the East and to open up the vast areas of untilled land in the West. This offers the consumer relief from the increasing cost of food stuffs."

To do this President Taft would have established, in the interest of the American farmer, a financial machine based upon the cooperative principle employed in nearly every country of Europe. The scheme, says Mr. Taft, has been tested in Europe "through all the changing conditions of a century," and the results can be seen in the fact that today the American farmer, besides his payments in commissions and renewals, pays an average of 8 1-2 per cent. for his money, as compared with the 3 1-2 or 4 1-2 per cent., paid by the farmers of France or Germany.

MR. WILSON'S APOLOGY.

Afraid to Publish What He Said About Union Labor and Immigrants.

The so called Wilson defense bureau has issued a long statement to the effect that Woodrow Wilson's published opinions in his books on the alleged inferiority of European immigrants and American workingmen generally to the Chinese and favoring Chinese immigration, etc., have been "misinterpreted."

There is one ready and complete reply to misinterpretation, and that is to republish what Wilson said to let him speak for himself. This the Wilson defense bureau of the Democratic national committee carefully refrains from doing, and neither Wilson nor his apologists, therefore, can blame American workingmen in general and European immigrants in particular for concluding that Wilson meant just what his language meant when he expressed his bad opinion of trades unions and his preference for Chinese over Europeans.

Business Confidences.

In his speech of acceptance Woodrow Wilson asserted that the tariff has made the business men of the country "timid, fretful, full of alarms; has robbed them of self confidence and manly force until they have cried out that they could do nothing without the assistance of the government at Washington."

Present day conditions challenge the accuracy of this statement. The excellent doctor would do well to point out some of the "timid, fretful" business men who are now "full of alarms" and who are lacking in "self confidence and manly force." Where can he find them?

The country is at the high tide of prosperity. Business confidence is in evidence everywhere. The course of the Republican administration is directly responsible for this condition. Danger lies only in a change of administration, with the consequent change of policy that is promised. Then, truly, the business men of the country would be "full of alarms," and they would have justification.

Increase of Savings Bank Deposits in Taft's Administration.

		Increase
Chicago, Feb. 6, 1909.	$153,598,644	
Chicago, June 15, 1912.	216,303,476	$62,704,532
Boston, Oct. 30, 1909.	232,134,662	
Boston, Oct. 31, 1911.	250,229,759	18,095,097
New York Jan. 1, 1909.	967,479,423	
New York, July 1, 1912.	1,146,972,508	179,463,085
Philadelphia, Nov. 6, 1909.	165,860,235	
Philadelphia, Nov. 6, 1911.	176,262,776	30,402,541
		$290,665,555

WILSON'S FRIEND IN STATE SENATE

New Jersey Governor Failed to Act in Fitzherbert Case.

DID NOT END THE DISGRACE

Executive's "One Track Mind" Got on a Crooked Curve—Entire United States Entitled to an Explanation; One Was Promised Six Months Ago.

Why has Woodrow Wilson, Governor of New Jersey and candidate of the Democratic party for President of the United States, been supine, passive and silent for more than six months in face of as black a legislative scandal as ever beclouded the fair fame of a sovereign State? "Strike" bills are unhappily not novelties in State capitals and if public impressions are in accord with facts New Jersey has been a prolific field for that sort of harvest. The "Black Horse cavalry" of Tweed's time were not more ravenous, according to report, than some of their latter-day imitators west of the Hudson, and as many large corporations have their headquarters or plants, or both, in New Jersey it is not difficult for the striker to find an "easy mark" for his "stand and deliver."

Hardly necessary is it to say that the victims, as a rule usually deem it cheaper to hand over than to put up a fight, and it might be supposed, therefore, that a monopolist of official righteousness, such as Woodrow Wilson professes to be, would seize an opportunity not merely offered but thrusting itself upon him, for making an example of the criminals.

Herein Woodrow Wilson has utterly failed to measure up to the standard of a conscientious dare-to-do-right executive. Six months and more have passed since the Senate of New Jersey, by a vote of 11 to 9, found Senator Richard Fitzherbert "guilty of an act inconsistent with the trust and duty of a senator in that he had negotiated for the payment of the sum of $5,000 by the Commercial Acetylene Company of New York as a consideration for the withdrawal by the said senator of Senate bills 79 and 110 therfor introduced by him."

On March 12, the day before the vote convicting Fitzherbert, Governor Wilson said that he was "looking into the testimony," and on March 13 he had a conference with the Democratic senators, and said that he would issue a statement. No Statement was then or has since been forthcoming, although, to quote from the "State Gazette" of Trenton, "from the time that he first appeared in the political arena as candidate for the office of governor Woodrow Wilson's greatest effort has been to impress the people of this and other States with the idea that he is the head and front of the Democratic party and the adviser and guide of the people."

On March 15, 1912, two days after Fitzherbert's conviction Mr. Oscar F. Ostby in behalf of the Commercial Acetylene Company, appealed to Governor Wilson to take some action that would put an end to the public scandal and the menace to legitimate business involved in the presence of a man with Fitzherbert's proved record in the Senate of New Jersey. Governor Wilson replied under date of March 20: "I quite agree with what you say as to the extreme seriousness of the Fitzherbert incident. I shall certainly try by every means within my power to see that no matter of this kind is covered or condoned."

And that more than six months ago, was the last of it, so far as Wilson is concerned. The promised statement by Wilson has never been made. Fitzherbert has not resigned or offered to resign, nor has any suggestion been made that Wilson has asked him to.

The conclusion is obvious that Woodrow Wilson is a reformer only in spots, and that his one-track mind, as he calls it himself, is as curved as the Horseshoe Bend when a personal advantage is to be gained in making the curve. Fitzherbert has been a steadfast supporter of Wilson in his plans for the uplift of New Jersey, and a little matter like the holdup of the Acetylene company is not permitted to mar their oneness of moral and political aims. It is possible—nay, probable—that the public at large may take a different view of executive obligations, and may conclude that a governor with such a contracted sense of official duty is unfitted for the far more important office of President of the United States.

Prussic Acid in Plants.

The remarkable fact that considerable quantities of free prussic acid are accumulated in the living tissues of certain plants was observed by the late Dr. M. Treub, and there appears to be little doubt that this poisonous acid is actually utilized as food material by these plants. Some interesting details concerning the occurrence and function of prussic acid in the cherry laurel are given by Peche, who concludes from his observations that the prussic acid found in the leaves and other organs is produced as a direct result of carbon assimilation in the green leaf cells when exposed to light and that it is not merely a product of the hydrolysis of glucosides. Peche found evidence that while part of the prussic acid enters into the building up of glucosides some of it is transported in a labile form, probably in loose combination with a tannin, and is stored up in various tissues as a reserve food.—Nature.

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FOREWORD

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There is other advertising that is not made up of black type, foggy truth, bubbles and fireworks.
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Wright-Metzler Company.

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And Continues Until All are Gone.

They are handsome new creations that owe their beauty to the late models which the designers used for inspiration. Dresses that stylish women will wear for calling, club meetings, matinees and afternoons at home. They'll give service all winter worn shopping under long coats. Each garment is elegantly made and finished to the smallest detail. Simplicity rules in the lines and trimming and the colors are conservative navy, taupe and wine, delicate reseda and vigorous winter hues—brown in several shades and black. Note that the styles and materials conform to the very latest fashion thoughts. Surely there was never such dresses at—

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It's a surprise from Toyland. Santa Claus has worked hard—very hard—so as not to disappoint the "kiddies" with this opening display. There will be kid body dolls, cork stuffed, and a foot high at 50c (oh yes, you can buy any doll on display and leave it with us until wanted, if you wish) and larger and larger dolls clear to $5.00 each. And there will be dressed dolls, too, but not so many as those we specially want you to see—and buy. Waking dolls and sleeping dolls and dolls with light or dark curls. All have the sweetest faces—and chubby arms and cute stockings and slippers.
Please come to dolly's party.

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"Marjorie"

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Axminster	9x12 ft.	$22.50	$16.45
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Brussels	9x12 ft.	$15.00	$12.75
Brussels	9x12 ft.	$11.00	$9.95
Axminster	36x72 in.	$3.75	$2.95
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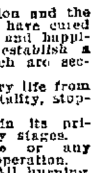

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